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Success In Soccer

Castleton Teachers College officially opened its 1959 soccer season on September 25 with a scrimmage against one of the most powerful soccer teams in the East—Middlebury College.

The final score of the game ended in a 1-1 tie, with Sam Ezzo scoring for Castleton in the first minute of the game. Although Castleton didn't win it was still a great moral victory to tie such a team as Middlebury.

On September 29th the Green and White of Castleton traveled to New Hampshire to play their first Conference game. The team they met and defeated was Keene Teachers College. The final score was 3-1 with Sam Ezzo contributing two fine goals and "Stubby" Guibord helping the cause with one. The defense was sharp in this game with fullbacks Bill Bountress, Alex Blastos and goalie Don Orvis leading the way.

With a record of one win and no losses in the Conference, Castleton played host to North Adams State Teachers College on October 3rd. With the aid of a new offense made up by Coach Terry and the spirit of the team, the Spartans sent North Adams home with a stunning 5-1 defeat. "Stubby" Guibord lead the way with two goals followed by Sam Ezzo, Sam Carrara and Bob Pedro who each punched in one. Cal Hastings, a freshman wing, sparkled on offense with four assists. Outstanding on defense were Erwin Nichols and "Skip" Pietryka.

On October 6th Castleton, still undefeated, entertained their rivals from Johnson Teachers College. The game started with Johnson scoring two quick goals and it looked as if the Spartans would go down to their first defeat. But as the game progressed, the Spartans seem to collect themselves as they tied Johnson and then proceeded to go ahead with a winning margin of 5-2. Once more Sam Ezzo and "Stubby" Guibord hit the scoring ranks followed by Tommy Lazatera, John "One Goal" Taft, and Don Orvis who each punched through one goal. Outstanding throughout the game was Ed Fabian.

The Green and White of Castleton continued their winning streak to four games October 8th by swamping an undermanned Vermont Aggie's eleven by a score of 6-1. Sam Carrara had two goals, while "Stubby" Guibord, John Taft, and Ed Fabian each had

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Some of the faces around C.T.C.

New Faculty

by Dick Burke

The 1959-60 school year has brought several faculty staff changes to Castleton Teachers College.

This year, Mr. Calvin Grass was granted a one year leave of absence to enable him to work on his Ph.D. He is participating in a program sponsored by the National Science Foundation.

Dr. Cunliffe, the former Zoology and Botany instructor at C.T.C., has resigned at Castleton to take a position at the Indiana State Medical School—where he will do research work.

At Ellis Hall, Mrs. Charles Cassin replaces Mrs. Clary as housedirector. Although it is the first time Mrs. Cassin has held a position of this type, she has worked with young people in church groups and other organizations. She was also a member of the State Board of Managers for the Vermont P.T.A. Although she has only been around C.T.C. for a short while, Mrs. Cassin said, "I have enjoyed the few weeks I have been here, and I have found most of my experiences interesting and pleasant."

Dr. Rachel Hinkley has returned to Castleton Teachers College as the new supervisor of student teaching, as well as an instructor in Education. Miss Hinkley received her B.S. at Castleton, and then went on and eventually earned her Ed.D. at Columbia University. She has taught at the College of William and Mary in Williamsburg, Va., Brookline College, and the Jersey City Teachers College.

Mrs. Helen Johnson of Montpelier will replace Dr. Cunliffe as the Zoology and Botany professor. She was formerly a bacteriologist and physical therapist with the U. S. Air Force Medical Corps, and the U. S. Public Health Dept. Her past teaching experience has been at the Russell Sage College for Women in Troy, N. Y.

Replacing Mr. Grass as the Physical Science professor will be Mr. Vincent D'Arista. He also is the laboratory instructor for the Freshman Science Program.

This year, Mr. James Studley will serve as a lab instructor in addition to his regular duties as Co-ordinator for the Ford Foundation.

We regret to say that Mr. Elihu Ransom—the night watchman at Castleton Teachers College—has retired after several years of service. We hope that he enjoys this well-earned time.

Swampscott Conference

by Bill Foley

The annual Fall conference of the New England Teachers Preparations Association was held in Swampscott, Massachusetts, October 2-3, 1959. Those attending from Castleton Teachers College were: George Bergin, Jon Emerson, Steve Squeglia, and Bill Foley; accompanied by Mr. Mosher, Faculty Advisor.

The purpose of this conference was to promote better Human Relationships between the teacher and the student.

The conference began with a general session, which was led by Dr. Thomas C. King, President of the Conference, who gave a general outline for the Symposium (Human Relations in College Teachers). This outline was followed by discussions held by six students from New England Colleges, both Teachers Colleges and Liberal Arts. In the general session the Student Teachers' personality was the Main topic of discussion. "The Brilliant Teacher vs. The Stimulating Teacher" evoked much discussion.

The general assembly was followed by group meetings in which teachers and students participated equally. These were divided into five different discussion groups. The smaller discussion groups dealt mainly with the most detailed discussion of Human Relationship, such as, tensions produced in the classroom, instructor stimulating the students by lecture and sarcasm and creative learning. These general discussion groups lasted for two group meetings.

The highlight of the conference was an after-dinner address given by Dr. Carl R. Rogers, Professor of Psychology and Psychiatry at the University of Wisconsin on the subject of "What I Have Learned About Human Relationships in Therapy and in Teaching."

Sophomore Entertainment

The Class of '62' will again present their production of "Minstrelty" on November 19. It is their aim to have a bigger and better show than the one that was presented last April.

C.T.C.'ers, you saw the first show. The new jokes will be funnier, the new acts will be unexcelled in originality, and the old acts will be as enjoyable as ever!

Editorial

Welcome to C.T.C., both upperclassmen and freshmen. I hope you all enjoyed your summer and hope it was profitable.

No doubt you worked hard and saved quite a lot of money.

Now that you are back here at Castleton, I hope you work just as hard at your studies and at extra-curricular activities.

Castleton has many different clubs and organizations which the student can join. Each club needs your support. So let's go out for at least one club. Sports, also, are becoming more prominent here at Castleton. Many intramural programs are being set up for the student's benefit, both men and girls. A fine showing at these activities helps the college a great deal.

If you don't know what C.T.C. offers in the way of clubs and organizations here are a few—*Castleton* (yearbook), *Spartan*, Glee Club, Band, Drama Club, International Relations Club, SNEA, Science Club, Ski Club, and Intramural sports.

So come on, let's co-operate and make this a good year both academically and socially.

Odds And Ends

Seeing that we have new black and white floors in Woodruff Hall, all we need now are disks and shuffle sticks.

The Woman's Athletic Association is looking for many girls to join their soccer team this year. Sign up sheets are at Ellis Hall for those who are interested.

A new rule has been made that everyone wishing to use athletic equipment, can sign out for it. There are many things that one can use for his own recreation.

Mrs. Clary, former house director at Ellis Hall, is now house director at Alpha Delta Pi at U.V.M. She is really missed at Ellis Hall.

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LOOKING AT STYLES

with Kathy

Now that college days are with us... first for some, and again for others... why not dress the part of a collegiate miss?

Keeping in tune with the melodic autumn colors, there are several sharp new shades for your wardrobe must. Sweaters and skirts, you will find, are **more** than just your school wardrobe, they **are** your school wardrobe. The new fall fashions once again suggest and encourage mixed or matched separates in the variegated autumn hues such as Fog brown, Nugget gold, Dell green, Quartz blue, and Nostalgic purple.

You will be a symphony of style in tweed. The walking suit is back and still as practical. Its beauty is two-fold. A pair of spool heels, gloves, and a pretty, perky hat makes a dress suit and yet a pair of knee socks, black and whites and a slip of a scarf at the neck make it adaptable for college weekends with your favorite man.

Variations in plaids are in. Pleated skirts are "the thing." For the tailored conscious tab-collared shirts and "crew" necks still lead the college parade for the women as well as men!

Camel colored three piece suits with paisley lining and blouses to match are very popular among the college set. The camel color is very practical too for the possibility of making outfits.

Let's glamorize the school year. Be fashion conscious but most of all be neat.

Dean's List

The last semester of the 1958-59 academic year listed the following students on the Dean's List—

Sylvia Alcorn, "60"
 Mrs. Sheila Bizzarro, "59"
 Robert Des Laurier, "61"
 Barbara Duchane, "62"
 Sonja Erickson, "59"
 Stuart Farnham, "62"
 Beverly Fee, "60"
 Ronald Hasseltine, "61"
 Mrs. Ann Hathaway, "59"
 Elaine Hogaboom, "60"
 Carolyn Johnson, "62"
 Ardith McKirryher, "62"
 Mrs. Edith Moore (special)
 Frank Morgan, "62"
 Mrs. Gail Pearson, "59"
 Sandra Razewski, "59"
 June Salls, "59"
 Lucille Stone, "59"
 Mrs. Helen Tatro, "60"
 Frank Vara, "60"
 Janet Walker, "62"
 Phyllis Young, "59"

Campus Personality



George Bergin
Student Association President

Everyone by now must have had some contact with our Student Association President, George Bergin. He is one of the most congenial man here at C.T.C. and is admired by all.

George holds a very important office here on campus and he is working hard to make Castleton Teachers College tops. Let's co-operate!!! Coming from Worthington, Massachusetts, George attended North Adams Teachers College in Massachusetts. In 1958 George transferred from North Adams.

We here at Castleton can call George a born leader, for he has held many offices. Among the important ones are: Vice President of the Student Council during high school, President of the Men's Dorm at Leavenworth and now holds one of the most important offices on campus, President of the Student Association.

Aside from George's academic work, he still finds time for Sports, among his favorites are bowling and baseball. Let's all look for George on this diamond this spring.

George says, "I think the freshmen girls are very helpful to Castleton Teachers College, but let's have some co-operation from the fellows!!!"

Future plans in store for George, are working for his Masters in Physical Education at Springfield College, Springfield, Mass.

Remaining Games

Oct. 17—North Adams (away)
 Oct. 21—Rhode Island College of Education (away)
 Oct. 28—Plymouth (away)
 Oct. 31—Norwich (home)

Sounds From Afar

PENGUINS PLUNGED AGAINST THE SPHINX

by Beatnik Cariso

Impish Death Satyr Bomb Bomb-death

Turtles exploding over Istanbul

The jaguar's flying foot

soon to sink in arctic snow

Penguins plunged against the Sphinx...

O athletic Death Sportive Bomb... O the happy stands

Ethereal root and cheer and boo...

Leap Bomb bound Bomb frolic zig and zag

The stars a swarm of bees in thy binging bag...

BOMB O havoc antiphony molten cleft BOOM...

Carrion stars charnel planets carcass elements...

O Bomb I love you

I want to kiss your clank eat your boom

You are a paean an acme of scream...

O resound thy tanky knees

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BOOM ye skies and BOOM ye suns BOOM BOOM ye moons ye stars BOOM

nights ye BOOM ye days ye BOOM BOOM BOOM ye winds ye clouds ye rains

go BANG ye lakes ye oceans BING Barracuda BOOM and cougar BOOM Ubangi BANG ograngutang

BING BANG BONG BOOM bee bear baboon

ye BANG ye BONG ye BING The tail the fin the wing.

Transfers

We all would like to extend a special welcome to the following transfer students: Connie Kenyon, Caldwell College; Joseph Gawet, Dayton University; Gerald Aulisio, Pat Keedy, and Carolee Carrol, North Adams State Teachers College; Sandra Van Houten, Buffalo State University; Michael Russo, Ithaca College; Margaret Kimball, Vermont Junior College; June Chapin, Johnson State Teachers College; Michael Korsak, University of Connecticut; Robert Bush, Asbury College; Catherine Johnson, University of Vermont; Leo Terrio, Utah State Agricultural College, and Lilitia Sue Maslack, University of West Virginia. Good luck, kids!

We also would like to welcome back returning students: Tom Ranney, Douglas Baker, Tom Flower, Tom Keefe, John Sabo and Lois Hill.

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Dorothy Rankin Puppets And Fun

On Thursday night, September 24 it was our pleasure to have Dorothy Rankin and Company entertain us with her marionettes, a show which was truly enjoyed by all who attended. The way in which character was vested into these puppets by the way of strings was truly unique. Mrs. Rankin held her audience captive with such adult comical acts such as: the Under Sea Ballet, the Mad Magician, the Worm in the Apple, the African Headhunters and the Bull Fight all of which were unsurpassable for enjoyability.

Puppets Historical Background

Puppets are not just entertaining dolls but also have a long and interesting background. They were first discovered in the Tombs of Egypt in 3000 B.C.

Eskimos, Javanese and Chinese used them; and from 1200 to 1400 they became so popular that the legitimate theatre nearly went out of business.

Punch and Judy originated in Italy where Punch was known as Punchinello. In England, puppets were used to teach people the difference between good and bad.

W. A. A.

by Sheila Poole

The first meeting of the W.A.A. was held Thursday, September 17, attended by sixty students.

The following officers were elected for the 1959-60 college year:

Vice President—Mary Jane Madigan
Secretary—Ginnie Worden

Treasurer—Pat Fryzell

Soccer practice began on Monday, September 21. Miss Ewald will be coach for the season with the assistance of Bob Underhill '62. Practice will be held each Monday and Wednesday, starting at 3:30 P.M. on the field behind Ellis Hall.

Student Court

Student court will be held Wednesday evening at 7:15 P.M. each week that school is in session.

If a student is summoned to appear in court it is his or her obligation to be there. Otherwise more severe measures will be taken by the court against the offender.

All students should consult handbook, page 52.

Student court officers will be:
Judge—Art Benedict
Associate Judges—Ron Hasseltine
Frank Vara
S.A. Attorney—Gary Quinn
Deputy Attorney—Mike Collins

Spartan Sparklers

SEPTEMBER EXPERIENCE PROGRAM

by Jeanne Longley

Before the opening of the fall semester at C.T.C., each Junior is expected to observe and help out in a school of his or her choice. This program is called September Experience Program and lasts for 5 days. In these five days, the Juniors are to help their respective teacher and take charge of various tasks within the classroom. Listed below are comments from various Juniors about their experiences:

Teresa Lanthier: "In my opinion, I thought that the S. E. P. was very worthwhile. I noticed and learned things that will be helpful to me in my future teaching career."

Jim Yatsik: "It was a great experience. I came in contact with some fast children and some slow ones, and I learned how to handle the slow ones, which I think will be very helpful when I start to teach."

Marcel Carrier: "I think that it was a great experience because I picked up many good teaching habits from my co-operating teacher. Some of the children were slow learners; therefore I observed how a teacher handles the slow learners."

Anna Senecal: "The S. E. P. is really worthwhile. Let's hope others will be able to get this opportunity!"

Larry Cook: "I found that the opening of school was very worthwhile for me. The class I was in was very slow and the teacher showed and told me a few things concerning a slow group. I picked up many helpful hints that I think will be beneficial when I begin to teach."

Lorna Smith: "I found the S. E. P. program quite beneficial. There are many tasks which are required of a teacher which one might not expect. Through this program I observed how she handles the fast, average and slow students. I found it very interesting and helpful."

Jon Emerson: "To be truthful about the S. E. P. Program, I thought it would be a farce, but actually, this was one of the best experiences we have had. It was very worthwhile and I learned a great deal."

Maureen Sullivan: "The S. E. P. was a wonderful experience. It was very helpful and worth losing a week of vacation for, because it was a vacation within itself."

Jeanne Longley: "From the above comments on the S. E. P. Program, one can surely conclude that it was a very worthwhile experience. Many of us, through this S. E. P. will be more eager and surer of our actual Student Teaching this year. I, very definitely think the S. E. P. should be carried out in future years—it gives one a deeper feeling of self-confidence."

Across The Campus

by Bob Undeen

Ellis Hall would like to say "Hi" to Pat Keedy who transferred from North Adams Teachers' College, Mass., she lives in Amherst, Mass.; also to Sandra VanHouten who comes from Buffalo Teachers' College in New York.

Another girl who's sporting a diamond at Ellis Hall is Celia Allison who's engaged to John Kelly—Congratulations to you both!

June Chapin also joined C.T.C. She transferred from Johnson Teachers' College.

Congratulations go out to Bobbi McGlaflin who became engaged to Ted Kantorieski from Poultney. Bobbie is Student Teaching now but will be back in November.

Leavenworth Hall welcomes the new frosh, but ponders the question, "Was Leavenworth ever this quiet?"

Paint, paint brushes, and step ladders await the girls who feel ambitious enough to use them! Two of our new interior decorators are Cathy Hale and Ann Hatfield.

Congratulations to freshman, Nancy Sawyer, who has been appointed new counsellor!

"Have tray—will travel." The roving waitresses of Leavenworth this summer were:

Kathy Thurston, White Mountains, Maine

Carol Litster and Sally Burke, Hampton Beach

Ardith McKirryher, Mendon

Pat Boucher, Burlington

Why doesn't Marilyn Johnson use her waste basket for communication any more??? Have the ceilings gotten higher or the desks lower???

Morrill House would like to welcome Art "Cool Daddy-O" De Lorenzo, Bill Foley, Ed "Honker" Fregosi, Gordon Kangos, Bob Ward, Stu Seager, Jerry Toomey, and Tom Ranney.

Two new members of the "Trappers Club" are Skip Curtis and Mike Collins—both became engaged this summer. Congratulations from Ma and the boys.

Erwin "Nick" Nichols hasn't wasted any time checking on the Freshmen girls—it seems he had a date Sunday

Due to the fact that the Spartan didn't have a printer at the beginning of the year we had to wait. We now have one—the Novak Printing Company of Rutland. All of the Spartan Staff is happy, due to the fact that they did a fine job last year for us.

I hope you all enjoy the Spartan and if you have any suggestions tell a member of the staff.

Thanks for waiting,

—the Editor

S. C. A.

The Student Christian Association held its first meeting at 7:30 P.M., September 22, 1959 at the Castleton Federated Church.

Following the business meeting, Rev. Olaf Johnson spoke on Church and Campus Life.

On September 29 the group is going to visit the Synagogue in Rutland, where Rabbi Jacob Handler will show us interesting points of the church and tell us a little about the ancestry of our Religion.

Everyone is welcome. If you did not make the first meeting, support the second one, by visiting the Synagogue. Bring a friend.

LAUGHS

If you have run out of fresh new squeelch lines, dig these current stoppers:

The last time I saw a face like yours, Tarzan was feeding it bananas.

I'd like to take you home to dear ole Dad, he hasn't had a laugh in years.

night with a certain gal from Amherst, Massachusetts.

Beatnik Squeglia has made a hit at Morrill House reading his poetry nightly. . . John Taft always seems to be present at the readings.

Sorry you were locked out of your room, "Honker."

"Ma" toiled Saturday afternoon baking apple pies for the boys at Morrill House—Oh! were they gooooooood!!!!—Incidentally, boys, were the apples expensive?????

Larry Cook and Dorwin Stoddert are enjoying a wall to wall closet—an unusual luxury at Morrill House. What happened to the old "FINKY" closet you had last year???

Bud Coolidge, we TRUST that all is well with you???

Frank . . . when you walk into the boys' rooms at Morrill keep your head up or else you'll get an unexpected shower!!!

The old regime in Leavenworth Hall wish to extend a warm and cordial welcome to Robert Bush, Norm Cyr, John Fisher, Calvin Hastings, Alfred Leonardi, Roland Limage, Warren Potter, William Skitt, and Ronald Willis, our ten newest members.

Steven Dow and Arthur Benedict, after rooming in separate houses for two days, recently moved into Leavenworth Hall. It seems, however, that Judge Benedict is staying but for the week. Back to Morrill House he'll be next week. Frank,—I'll bet money that you had influence in this!

The rooms in the upstairs of the dorm have all been done over. We understand that the second floor is also going to be done during Christmas vacation. Let's all strive to keep them looking as they do now.

Homecoming Weekend

Friday and Saturday, October 30 and 31st will be Castleton Teachers College Homecoming Weekend.

The week-end will get underway with a "Beatnik Party" Friday night in the old auditorium. The Athletic Association will be in charge of this affair.

Saturday morning the Juniors will be host to returning Alumni for discussion on Teaching and Classroom Experience. The Alumni will be guests of the college for the dinner meal.

The afternoon brings a soccer game between Castleton and Norwich University.

Saturday night the Fall Formal will be held in the new gym. The theme will be "Harvest Moon." The overall chairman will be Jon Emerson, co-chairman Jane Williams. Decoration Chairman will be Mary Ann Hunter, Invitations—Jim Yatsik, Refreshments—Julian Jackson, Music—Mike Collins, and Clean-Up—Ed "Honker" Fregosi.

Let's all make this a memorable weekend at Castleton, so pitch in and help and it will be a success.

Calendar

- Oct. 10—Cook Out
- Oct. 14—Jazz
- Oct. 30—Hallowe'en Party
- Oct. 31—Fall Formal
Homecoming
- Nov. 11-12—Drama
- Nov. 14—Ellis Hall Open House
- Nov. 19—Thanksgiving Banquet
Sophomore Class Entertainment
- Dec. 3—Junior Show
- Dec. 10—Christmas Banquet
St. Michael's Glee Club
- Dec. 13—Glee Club

Orientation Committee

by Geri Greene

On September 10, the Orientation committee, under the leadership of Nan Fowler of Plainfield, welcomed the Castleton Teachers College freshmen. Tea was served in Leavenworth Hall for them, their parents, and members of the faculty. They registered for classes Thursday afternoon; and Dean Florence Black and Dr. Richard Dundas welcomed them formally. On September 12, the testing program was continued and in the evening the freshmen presented their skits.

Upperclassmen on the Orientation committee were: George Bergin, Worthington, Mass.; Frank Vara, Hansen, Mass.; Elaine Hogaboom, Dorothy Paul, Rutland; Jim Yatsik, West Rutland; Dick Burke, Rutland; Joella Sweeney, Poultney; Jane Williams,

Alumni 1959

Emma Ameden, Carolyn Champine and Sven Erickson teach in Manchester.

Laura Aquistapace, Bette Baker, and Betsy Burke have teaching positions in Bennington.

Jack Chioffi, Gordon LaCroix, Ceil Simentkoski, and Ree Harte teach in Chester.

Joyce Wilder McCormack does advertising for the Economy Dept. Store in Rutland.

Carol "Corky" Corskie teaches third grade in Woodstock.

Mrs. Cindy Eaton teaches in Florence.

George Costello teaches sixth grade in Chittenden.

Sonja Erickson is now teaching in Dorset.

Lenny Goldman joined Uncle Sam for six months and is stationed in Fort Dix, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. "Moose" Harold Hathaway both teach in Chelsea.

Mrs. Bertha Hazen Gendron teaches in White River Junction.

Sandra Hinds is doing further study at the Clarke School for the Deaf in Northampton, Mass.

Midge Murphy and Mary Kapusta are in Middlebury teaching.

Louise Kent is in Newfane teaching grades one and two.

Mrs. Angie Magrone Genero is in Montpelier teaching grade two.

Chuck O'Conner teaches grades seven, eight and nine in Burnt Hills, Ballston Lake, New York.

Gordon Pelkey teaches in Pittsford.

Sandra Razewski teaches the second grade in Schenectady, N. Y.

June Salls teaches in Shoreham.

Phyllis Young is now teaching the sixth grade in Burlington.

Lucille Stone teaches third and fourth grades in Townshend.

Eleanor Anderson teaches grades five and six in Rutland.

Charles Decker teaches in Bennington.

George Lowe teaches in Wardsboro, grades five-eight.

Jim McLaughlin and Vince Murphy both teach in New York State.

Don Reardon teaches sixth grade in Proctor.

Laura Robbins teaches in Vergennes.

Shirley Smith now teaches in Rutland Junior High.

Esther Cressy LaMoria teaches in Newfane.

Burlington; Virginia Warden, Brattleboro; Robert Burroughs, Vergennes; Ferne Mills, Pittsford; Sam Carrara, Pittsford; Mary J. Madigan, Proctor; and Judy Yoxheimer, Springfield.

Welcome Frosh

Castleton Teachers College would like to say "Welcome Aboard" to the new freshmen. We all hope you enjoy yourself while your here. The Freshmen are: Pat Aguglia of Rochester, New York; Mary Bania of Center Rutland; Ray Baber of Springfield; Dick Bartlett of West Rutland; Velita Bebo of Whitehall, New York; Elvira Bellomo of Rutland; Sam Bellomo of Rutland; Reginald Benjamin of Benson; Augustus Bennett of Rutland; Lucille Boule of Wallingford; Ellen Boutwell of East Middlebury; Carol Briggs of Rutland; Chris Bromley of Wells; Linda Clough of Windsor; Paul Courcelle of Rutland; Frances Coursey of Pittsford; Theresa Dalto of Rutland; Sandra Davenport of Chittenden; Art DeLorenzo of urlington; Katherine Dennis of North Clarendon; Linda Devino of Bristol; Bill Drake of Rutland; Gerald Eagan of Castleton; Sara Farnum of Chester; Virginia Flood of Brattleboro; Bill Foley of Rutland; Ed Fregosi of Proctor; Betty Gallagher of West Rutland; Marie Goodwin of Hubbardton, Diane Grant of Jacksonville; Lorna Guyett of Windsor; Elder Haapala of Rutland; Gilda Hall of Moriah, New York; Joan Handley of Rutland; and Calvin Hastings of Rutland.

Also, Dick Hayden of Middlebury; Joyce Heath of Fair Haven; Bob Higgins of West Rutland; Carolyn Ianni of Rutland; Elaine Jones of Poultney; Gordon Kangas of Reading; Dan Kennedy of Rutland; Dick Kennedy of Wallingford; Mary Kerr of White Plains, New York; Sue Kiniry of Windsor; Norm Labare of Rutland; Pat Lake of Saxtons River; Al Leonardi of Williamstown, Mass.; Roland Limoge of Burlington; Katherine Macia of Windsor; Tom Manell of Whitehall, New York; Steve Mastrovich of Whitehall, New York; Maureen McCormack of West Rutland; Martha Moxley of Randolph Center; Roy Norton of South Glens Falls, New York; Deanna Parker of Cuttingsville; Nancy Parks of Wells; Margaret Patch of Wallingford; Skip Pietryka of West Rutland; Winifred Pike of Rutland; Merrill Prime of Rutland; Milford Ranney of Fair Haven; Emma Reynolds of Fair Haven; and Marie Ross of Granville, New York.

Also, Rosetta Royce of Randolph; Tim Russell of Rutland; Tom St. John of Fair Haven; Nancy Sawyer of Bennington; Beverly Schmidt of Bennington; Russell Shappy of Rutland; Jean Shattuck of Putney; Bill Skitt of North Attleboro, Mass.; Marilyn Spencer of Rutland; Linda Symons of Fair Haven; Bonnie Thorburn of Quincy, Mass.; Jerry Toomey of Ludlow; Sandra Van Houten of Elmira, New York; Carol Wallin of Hinsdale, Mass.; Bob Ward of Fort Edward, New York; Diana

Student Teaching

The seniors in Section X, who started their student teaching on September 1 are: Frank Affinito, Poultney Junior High; Bea Armstrong, Grades two and three, East Dummerston; Arthur Benedict, Grades five, six, seven and eight, Tinmouth; Sidney Berlin, seven, eight, and nine, Rutland; Donald Boardman, seven and eight, Northfield; Marilyn Brooks, seven, eight and nine, Brattleboro; Anthony Citro, seven, eight, and nine, Ludlow; Betty Coleman, Grade one, Springfield; George Curtis, eight, Bethel; Lynn Day, one, two, and three, Rutland; William Eaton, seven, Fair Haven; Beverly Fee, six, Rutland; James Howitt, six, Fair Haven; Gertrude Landry, four, Bennington; Beulah Lampher, Elementary, Bethel; and Mrs. June Little, one-six, Orwell.

Also, Richard Livingston, seven, eight, and nine, West Rutland; Mrs. Mrs. Kathy McCarthy, one, two, and three, Center Rutland; Barbara McGlavin, seven, and eight, Northfield; Elizabeth O'Brien, five, and eight, Whiting; Elizabeth Paquette, one, and two, Orwell; Norma Perry, three, Waterbury; Ruth Prichard, three, Fair Haven; Gary Quinn, seven, eight, and nine, Brattleboro; John Robinson, six, and seven, Center Rutland; Sally Roggmann, four, Castleton Corners; James Sevigni, seven, eight, and nine, Poultney; Mrs. Anne Matulonis, three, Proctorsville; Frank Vara, seven, and eight, Castleton; and Nancy White, six, Waterbury.

Success In Soccer

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one. Outstanding on defense were Gene Oliver and Mike Barslow, although Castleton spent most of the time on offense.

Ed Fabian	Center Halfback
Don Orvis	Center Half or Goalee
Erwin Nichols	Left Halfback
John Taft	Right Inside
Dick Burke	Left Fullback
Sam Carrara	Left Inside
Carl Guibord	Center Forward
Tom Lazatera	Right Wing
Bill Bountress	Left Fullback
Gene Oliver	Right Fullback
Mike Barslow	Right Fullback
Sam Ezzo	Left Wing
Jim Yatsik	Right Halfback
Al Blastos	Left Fullback
Cal Hastings	Right Wing
Art DeLorenzo	Right Inside
Paul Godette	Left Wing
Ed Fregosi	Goalee
Jerry Toomey	Center Forward
Pete Burroughs	Left Fullback
Skip Pietryka	Right Halfback

Williams of Rutland; Ron Willis of Sherburne Center; Mary Woods of West Rutland; Virginia Zielinski of Bellows Falls; John Fisher of Brattleboro.



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CONGRATULATIONS, HELENA RUBY

Spartans Continue Successful Season

by Sam Carrara

On October 17th the Green and White of Castleton traveled to North Adams where they met and defeated North Adams State Teachers College for the second time this year by an impressive score of 6-2. Castleton held a slim lead at half time by a score of 2-1 on goals by Tom Lazatera, and Co-Captain Karl Guibord. This lead was not enough for early in the third period North Adams scored again, tying the score at 2-2. Castleton, now under pressure, scored two quick goals before the ending of the third period. The third goal was scored by Sam Carrara with an assist from Sam Ezzo and the fourth goal was booted in by right wing Don Orvis, assisted by John Taft. During the fourth quarter Castleton scored two more goals through a fading North Adams' defense. These goals were scored by Jerry Toomey and C.T.C.'s high scorer Sam Ezzo. This was enough to ice the game as Castleton won 6-2. Outstanding on defense throughout the entire game was Skip Pietryka, Mike Barslow, and Bill Bountress.

This win kept the Spartans undefeated with a record of five wins and no losses in Conference competition.

Four days later on October 21st, C.T.C. traveled to Providence, Rhode Island to play Rhode Island College of Education. This proved to be one of the Spartans' best played ball games as they rolled to a 2-0 victory over an over-confident R.I.C.E. soccer team. Both goals were scored in the first half. The first by Sam Ezzo with an assist by Skip Pietryka and a penalty kick by "Stubby" Guibord. These first half scores were enough to hold R.I.C.E. as the defense, headed by Big Ed Fabian, fullback Gene Oliver, and Goalie "Honker" Fregosi, took over in the second half.

Castleton at the present time is tied with Bridgewater Teachers' College for first place in the New England Teachers' College Soccer Conference with a record of 6 wins and no defeats. Let's hope the team can win their remaining games to win the conference.



The Queen and her Court.

Homecoming Weekend

by Dick Burke

On Friday and Saturday, October 30th and 31st, the students of C.T.C. will take part in the many activities of Homecoming Weekend.

However, evidence of the weekend festivities appeared early Monday morning. The various candidates for queen of the Formal—and their supporters—began to fill the halls and quarters with posters, pictures, and very persuasive slogans. The theme that most of them centered around was the Fall season—with its multi-colored leaves, pumpkins, and red school houses. Even Albert (the school mascot) edged himself into the campaign.

On Tuesday, a general Student Association Meeting was held. At this time, all of the various candidates for queen were introduced to the students.

Thursday afternoon was the day that the balloting took place. It was then that the students could vote for the queen of the 1959 Fall Formal.

All the "crazy" cats in the school met in the old auditorium on Friday evening to attend a "Beatnik Party." The room was decorated as a Bohemian Coffee Shop. The strange looking beatniks soon adjusted to the "real gone" atmosphere and began to swing "like crazy" to the beat of Tom Keefe and his Combo.

But, as things do happen, someone noticed that the time was "really gone," and everyone left—looking forward to another party of this type.

On Saturday morning, the Juniors were host to the C.T.C. Alumni. An informal discussion of Teaching and Classroom Experiences was held between the two groups. Then, the visitors were guests of the school for the noon meal.

A soccer game between Castleton and Norwich University will be held on our home field Saturday afternoon. During the half-time, the successful candidate will be crowned queen of the Fall Formal—and she will reign during the rest of the festivities.

Early Saturday evening, couples will begin to arrive at the new gym for the climax of Homecoming Weekend—The Fall Formal.

They will dance to the music of the Music Messengers—an eight piece band with a vocalist. The hall will be decorated according to the theme of the dance—Harvest Moon.

About The Queen And Her Court . . .

Congratulations, Helena. The following thumb nail sketches will let you in on our QUEEN and her court.

MARIE GOODWIN

Marie Goodwin, usually seen with a smiling face and sparkling brown eyes, is well known on the C.T.C. campus (She is also known by her light brown hair.)

Marie, a freshman, is a commuter from Hubbardton, Vermont. She graduated from Fair Haven High School in June, 1959. In high school, Marie was valedictorian of her class and was an active member of the Student Council. In her sophomore and senior years she was vice president of her class and in her junior year, secretary. She was a member of the National Honor Society, recipient of the D.A.R. Good Citizenship Award and was also a Rutland Winter Carnival candidate for queen.

Marie is a member of the college glee club at Castleton. She likes most sports and enjoys watching football, soccer, and basketball.

Marie is planning to major in elementary education and would like to teach in the first four grades.

PAT PICCHI

Lively, gay, and vivacious all go for describing Pat Picchi. A sophomore from Attleboro Falls, Mass., Pat is five feet four, with hazel eyes and dark brown hair.

At North Attleboro High School, where she graduated in 1958, Pat was active on Student Council, Glee Club, and the school newspaper.

At Castleton, Pat is in the glee club and is on the "Spartan" staff.

Pat enjoys swimming, music, playing tennis and dancing. She also likes to watch soccer, football, and basketball.

Pat is majoring in elementary education and would like to teach in the second, third, or fourth grades.

LONA GUYETTE

Friendly and pert Lona Guyette is from Windsor, Vermont. Lona graduated from Windsor High School in June, 1959.

A freshman, Lona is five foot five, with hazel eyes and dark brown hair.

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Social Recreation

The Social Recreation Council of Castleton has many functions; some of which I will try to include in this article.

A tentative schedules of weekends, banquets, assemblies, dramas, and the glee club concert for the first semester must be set up during the summer before college opens. This schedule must coincide with the schedule set up by the college staff for vacations and conventions. The Social schedule is altered considerably due mostly to the budget.

The biggest and most involved undertaking of the Council is that of engaging major entertainments. There are about five a year. Once a year different agencies send representatives to suggest major entertainments to us.

When we engage people to entertain or to speak at assemblies, a council member must meet the guests and see that they have everything they need for their performance.

The students seem to enjoy the class entertainments most. They have to be budgeted and scheduled after banquets or in the middle of the week when most of the students can go to them.

Assemblies are entirely cultural and must be scheduled at least two weeks ahead of time.

The Social Recreation Council sets up dates for the formal dances, and the S.A. elects chairmen to put them on.

Movies are sent for in New York and also must be reserved. The budget determines the number of movies we have in a year.

The council suggests that various activities be sponsored by the dorms, drama or glee club and such. This gives the students something to do on the weekends.

The bulletin board in Woodruff Hall has been a new additional job for the council this year.

SPARTAN BOARD

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Voice Of The Senate

by Bill Foley

The first Senate Meeting of the 1959-60 school year was held on September 15, opened by George Bergin, S. A. president. George reminded the Senate members that three cuts from Senate meetings without making the necessary arrangements would automatically make them ineligible to attend meetings in the future.

The first business of the meeting was to elect two assistant judges. The two elected were Ron Hasseltine and Frank Vara.

It was decided that the class presidents and class delegates will take charge of the lunch line in the following way.

Monday—Senior president and delegate.

Tuesday—Junior president and delegate.

Wednesday—Jon Emerson and George Bergin.

Thursday—Sophomore president and delegate.

Friday—Freshman class chairman and delegate.

The president and delegates will also make up the election committee. The senior class president will be the chairman of the committee, in his absence the delegate of the senior class will assume the responsibility.

Jon Emerson was chosen to replace Robert Sterns as the Men's Athletic Association chairman.

The last item of discussion was our budget. There were some changes made and it was voted that we would bring before the student body the question of raising the activity fee two dollars in January, 1960.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

The second Senate meeting was held on Monday, September 28. The first item on the agenda was the Swampscott Conference. We elected four people to represent Castleton at this Conference, those elected were George Bergin, Jon Emerson, Steve Squeglia, and Bill Foley.

We next discussed the possibility of moving Bea's Snack Bar from its present location in Leavenworth Hall to the recreation room. The Senate voted to have this done as soon as possible.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:35.

The third meeting was held on October 12.

The first item of new business was that the Senate draw up a set of rules for the recreation room to go into effect after the Snack Bar is moved. The rules will be mimeographed and each student will have a copy of them.

Next it was decided that the Guidance and Records Council be changed to just the Records Council because it does no guidance work.

Morrill House asked for \$150 to buy a new television set. It was voted that they could borrow the money and that it be paid back by April 1st.

A motion was made and carried that George Bergin recommend that the Castleton Teachers College sign which was standing at the end of Seminary Street be replaced.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

The fourth Senate meeting was held on October 26.

The rules for the Recreation Room were drawn up, anyone violating any of these rules will be taken to Student Court without any warning at all. The rules are:

1. No food taken out of the area where the food is served.
2. Card playing limited to the tables.
3. Soft chairs are to be left down by the T.V.
4. The juke box is not to be touched.
5. No sitting on the tables.
6. Cigarette butts are to be put in ash trays—not on floor.
7. No improper conduct in the Recreation Room.

8. The list of students who are to clean the Recreation Room will be put on the bulletin board on Sunday and each student must take his turn or find someone to take his place.

9. No horizontal position on the couch or on the soft chairs, and no necking in the Recreation Room.

The Homecoming Week-end committee asked to borrow an additional \$25 for the dance. The motion was made and carried to let them have the money.

It was announced that the treasurer of each club come to the Senate Meetings and give us a report.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Odds And Ends

Everyone is excited about Bea's being located up in the Rec Room. Many good times will be spent there, especially with the juke box up there too. So if you're looking for a place to gather to have a blast, just congregate at Bea's.

The boys at Leavenworth Hall are going to have their own lounge in a few more weeks. It will be located downstairs where Bea once had her coffee shop. Now the boys will have a place to spend all their lonely nights!!!!

Have you noticed how the school spirit has grown around C.T.C. lately????? Everyone seems to be bursting with vim and vigor at the games, and this makes the soccer team feel very good. Supporting the team is like helping win half the battle.

How To Have Good Classroom Control

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The Arch of Good Classroom Control

by: Joseph A. Kiene

The Instructor

October 1959

It takes many things to make a good teacher. He must constantly exercise his best judgment when dealing with his students. The following things are hints that can be helpful to the student teacher as he makes his way into the classroom.

ESTABLISH GOOD ROUTINE—Children like to know what is expected of them, but avoid long lists of tedious regulations. Use simple but well planned rules for such routines as use of the coatrooms, pupil dismissal, lavatory privileges, and distributing and collecting supplies.

Have a seating plan but alter it at regular intervals. Changing the seat of a troublesome child helps, but confer with him first. Insist on classroom cleanliness and neatness. It's a must with twenty-five people living together.

CULTIVATE PLEASING SPEECH—Use conventional tones, and be sure that your voice doesn't get higher-pitched as the day progresses. It is a common fault of the teachers to monopolize the conversation in a classroom.

Never, never, try to shout a class. Adjust the speed of your speech and choice of vocabulary to the maturity level and background of the class.

PLAN YOUR WORK WELL—Beginning planning is your responsibility, but gradually and steadily introduce your class to planning with you. Check, evaluate and even change your plans if better ones can be created.

Prepare your own work a week in advance. Be familiar with teaching guides and instructional bulletins. Have all supplies at hand.

Use effective motivations so that pupils' interest will be around. They will reflect your enthusiasm.

BE CONSISTENT AND PERSISTENT—Don't confuse pupils with variations in mechanics and routines. Work to establish enough good habits for a smooth-running classroom. It takes a while for a new procedure to click.

Are you stern one day and a "softie" the next? Children want you to be positive, expectant, but not easy. They want you to be firm but fair.

ACCENTUATE THE POSITIVE—Put demands and requests positively. Never tell the class how tough you are—you're merely challenging it to prove otherwise. Avoid threats. Keep your promise.

Pupils soon recognize the teacher that only talks. Never punish the group when only a few are guilty. If

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Spartan Sparklers

by Jeanne Longley

Turning to the scientific side of the world today—our topic will be the moon. The moon is very definitely a mysterious character and most of us can only dream of what it is like—although through dreams some of us might have been there. Listed below are comments from students pertaining to the question:

"What do you think of the back side of the Moon?"

Doug Baker: "With the coming of the 'Age of Space,' it would do well to look into this question before answering."

John Sabo: "It's probably as dark as my future looks in French."

Tom Lazetera: "I think it would be a great place to study!!!" (Study what, Lazey???)

R. Marshall: "I think it's there!"

Marcel Carrier: "I think it's quite cheezy, but you must insist on an answer—ask Mr. K."

Steve Squeglia: "In terms of Degrees—Cool!!!"

Evie Carpenter: "On my first trip, there was a slight haze hindering my view—will be able to tell you more when I arrive from my future voyage."

H. Kelley: "Think it would be a good place to go into the electrical business!"

R. Deslaurier: "It would be a good place to take our American Lit. exams!"

James Byrne: "We haven't reached that phase in American History yet."

Lorna Smith: "I'd like to be there right now!!!!" (Why, Lorna?)

Jeanne Longley: "Well, there are the comments from several students—you can take them for what they are! Myself, the moon is too far away to worry about it—most of us have enough to keep our minds occupied right here on earth—agreed?"

People!!!

Do you feel alone in a crowd? Are you called Fink by all your friends? If so, there is no need of it, be sociable, get some school spirit in your system, attend all school functions, and above all, support your team.

Junior Class Show

On Thursday night, December 3, 1959, the class of 1961 will present the show *From Brahms to Beatnik*. This promises to be one of the best shows ever to be presented here at Castleton. The entire class will be in this show and the Juniors will guarantee a good show.

Campus Personality



ART BENEDICT
JUDGE ON STUDENT COURT

Hats off to Art Benedict this week!!! Art, a senior, has only been with us a short time, for before he joined us here at Castleton in 1958, he attended the College of Education in Plattsburg, New York.

During his stay here, Art has helped build up Castleton Teachers' College immensely. As we all know, he holds a very important office here at C.T.C., and that is the position of Judge on Student Court. We all agree he's doing a swell job!!!

Aside from Art's academic work, he is a member of the Glee Club and Drama Club. Many of us remember the role he played in last year's production, *Physician In Spite of Himself*. In 1959 Art held a Dorm office in Leavenworth, and this year he is circulation editor for the SPARTAN.

If many of you have not seen Art around very much this year, it's because he was student teaching in Timmouth, Vermont, where he taught grades five through eight. Beginning November 9th, he will start his nine weeks' student teaching here in Castleton at the public school.

Among Art's subjects he enjoys English very much but says he can do without math. Art's only regret is that he didn't come to Castleton as a freshman.

When asked what he thought of the freshman class he said, "They have very good potentials, and look like a promising class for C.T.C. I am also glad to see so many out-of-staters."

Future plans in store for Art include teaching in either New York or Vermont. While teaching, he hopes to earn some credits which will enable him to teach English in the Junior High or High School.

Congratulations, Art, we here at C.T.C. wish you the best of luck.

Across The Campus

by Dotty

Saturday, October 17, many C.T.C. students were seen attending the marriage of Geri Greene to Duane Williams (a graduate of C.T.C.). We wish you much happiness in your married life.

Ellis Hall recently welcomed former C.T.C. students and seniors who are Student Teaching, in the persons of Emma Amidon, Norma Perry, Nancy White and Bobbi McGlaflin.

We are glad to hear the Joy Rowe is well on the road to recovery after her emergency appendectomy. Get well soon, Joy!

Travel seems to be the "thing" among certain girls at Ellis Hall (and one Morrill House male). Jean Longley, Martha Robinson and Tish Maslack ventured northward to the UVM Homecoming Weekend. The girls had a difficult time "coming home." Long hours—eh, gals!

Kathy, Sheila and "guest" were not to be outdone. The threesome visited friends in Hanover, New Hampshire.

Sally Roggmann and Mike Collins headed southward to Virginia to visit Sally's parents. Welcome back to the cold north!

Mrs. Cassin was also among the "happy wanderers." She spent some time with her family in Nashua, New Hampshire.

Several students from C.T.C. spent sometime at the Teachers Convention in Burlington, Vermont. Elaine Hogaboom, Mrs. Tatro and Frank Vara were among those attending.

In another vein, much "buzzing" is heard in various rooms and many plans for campaigning in the race for "Homecoming Queen." "Primrose Lane" seems to be the order of the day, eh, Helena!

Maureen "Sully" Sullivan was recently elected as State Vice President for the Student National Education Association. Congratulations, Sully.

Leavenworth is taking on a new look—freshly painted rooms, curtains for the johns, and even candy striped radiators.

Hunting season has proved to be sentimental for some people, huh, Bobbi? Why the tears??? It was only a squirrel!!!

Thanks should be extended to Elvira Bellomo, who has supplied 3rd floor with her delicious macaroni! Mama Mia! It's good!!!!

It's a proven fact—Snakes can be fun. . . . Just ask Mary E. Woods or Frances Coursey.

"Precious Pat" Aguglia has been playing nursemaid to our sick. Isn't that right, MaryAnne?

Idabelle is starting a collection of different kinds of straws. That must be quite interesting.

Good Classroom Control

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things seem to be getting out of hand, change your methods. Be polite and expect courtesy. Always be willing to listen.

CREATE THE DEMOCRATIC SPIRIT—Think and speak in terms of your class. Use the pronouns "we" and "our" instead of "it" and "my." Let the children help to determine the physical environment.

A child should be removed from a job only if he fails—not because he does poorly in arithmetic. Have no "pets." Rotate helpers. With uppergrades, elect officers and take time for class meetings, but never permit tattling.

A FAVORABLE CLASSROOM CLIMATE—Recognize the work and dignity of each pupil. Each child must feel that he belongs and is wanted. Be guided by a sense of fairness. Children are injustices.

Help a child "save face"—find something good in his faltering answer. He'll always be grateful. Have a sense of humor and laugh often with your children. Endeavor to discover the needs, interests, and abilities of each child.

Avoid sarcasm and ridicule. The class may laugh, but it unites them against you. If a child thinks you don't like him, he'll give up trying.

Mickey Jackson, of Leavenworth Hall, spent the past vacation visiting Chuck Parsons of Littleton, Mass. Chuck is the son of Mrs. Parsons who is the house mother of Leavenworth Men.

Norm Cyr, Roland Limoge, and Paul Goddett, the Daniel Boones of Leavenworth Hall, have been active hunters for the past few weeks. We understand that Paul was lost for several hours. Norm and Roland finally came back to school only to find "Punchy" in the Rec. Room.

Once again this year, Jerry Lentini has his accordion in his room at Leavenworth Hall. We all enjoy listening to him play and he is always more than willing to play for us.

Ron Sweet and Marcel Carrier have had hard luck on the shuffle board in Fair Haven. So the fellows down the hall claim. What seems to be the trouble fellows??? Coordination was all right, wasn't it?

Morrill's Bill Foley recently made a hit during a fire drill. He sure had a "Hot Time". Johnny Taft, Mikey Collins, and Jimmy Yatsik recently had as their guest at Morrill House, Elmer Hampster. Where did he sleep, fellas? We understand that Nick of Morrill House is going into the sign business—especially those on the Massachusetts and Rhode Island roads. We have it that Jon Emerson is the "Bob a Loop" champ at Morrill House.

LOOKING AT STYLES

with Kathy

Color is the richest element of any woman's fashion life. She can use it to express her personality, muffle her beauty flaws or simply give herself a lift.

Each fashion season, the color picture changes and the way a woman handles color in the way of clothes and accessories establishes her fashion know-how.

This fall and winter the color staples are numerous. Lots of accessory colors go with them safely; others make hot fashion news.

If you have certain blocks about color, now's the time to find out why. Most of the time it's a skin tone problem. For example—one claims she cannot wear green. Granted, a particular shade of green doesn't accent but again variations on the color green could be most becoming.

Experiment! Don't miss all the color fun!!!

Great Show Coming

by Judy Kearns

This year, November 19th will be the date when the class of 1962 will again proudly present its version of a minstrel show in the new auditorium-gymnasium.

Some of the hits of last season will be presented, and many new and colorful numbers will be added. Among them will be a pantomime by Ethel Hadaway, and a character portrayal by Larry Barber which is reputed to be a riot. Due to its wide acclaim in last year's performance, "Oh, You Beautiful Doll" will be repeated, as will Jody Barrows' act, with something new added—Patty Keedy. They will do a baton-twirling duet. As popular as ever, Jerry Lentini will give us a fine rendition of some favorite songs on his accordion. Mickey Jackson's nimble feet have a new partner this year—Mary Anne Towne. They are doing a dance, which is sure to turn our successfully. A newcomer, Carolee Carroll is also doing a dance. Byron "Sonny" Fish will give us his rendition of a popular tune, and Maureen Whitewith favor us with a solo, as will Arthur Clough. Taking time out from her many hours of work as accompanist for the show, Janet Walker will give us a piano solo. There will be many other numbers, including a "suspense" number by Tom Ranney. This will be a surprise to the other members of the show as well as to the audience, as he's not letting too many in on it. This year's chorus is bigger and better, with a large number of new and old songs common to old-time minstrel shows. The end-men are receiving special coaching from the advisor for the show, Mr. Mosher.

S. C. A.

The Student Christian Association has had several interesting meetings the last month. The last of September the group visited the Synagogue in Rutland, where Rabbi Jacob Handler showed the group around.

In October Bud Coolidge, Mr. Clough and Knowlton Utley each took an important leader after the time of Jesus and talked on it. Mr. Schadt spoke on the growth and spread of Christianity during the first few hundred years. First he gave a brief summary of the Roman religion of that day, and made the point that the only religions Rome had anything against were those which interfered with the government. Mr. Schadt's main point was that there is very little documentary evidence outside of the Bible about the first hundred years of Christianity. The meeting before vacation ended in a square dance.

The coming November Meetings sound very interesting and are as follows:

Nov. 3—Spread of Christianity During the Middle Ages by Rev. Dale Russell.

Nov. 7—School Hike.

Nov. 10—Reformation by Rev. Harold Adams.

Now, come and support them.

W. A. A.

The cheerleaders have been picked and are doing a good job of urging the boys' soccer team on—maybe for the Championship. The girls behind this are: Marie Bell, Captain; Judy Yoxthimer, Co-captain; Bonnie Thorburn, Joyce Heath, Joan Barrows, and Mary Kerr. Keep the good work up, girls.

The girls' soccer team has been practicing for about a month, under the leadership of Bob Underhill.

The following girls have been coming out, Mary Jane Madigan, Sheila Poole, Mary Hunter, Evelyn Carpenter, Judy Yoxthimer, Guilda Hall, Letitia Maslack, Linda Clough, Joan Handley, Kathy Macia, Diane Grant, Mary Ryan, Pat Keedy, Helena Ruby, Lorna Ricard, and Beverly Osterberg.

Last week they practiced at different positions to strengthen the team, but the big factor again this year is not enough girls come out so we can have two teams. How about it, girls?

The girls' first game is with Johnson October 27th, away, and the captain for this year is Sheila Poole.

Starting next week the girls are going to have volleyball intermurals which you signed up for—a long time ago. Remember!!! If you are interested and did not sign up, see Sheila Poole, so you can be placed on a team.

About The Queen And Her Court

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She spends most of her time studying. Her special interests include sewing (she makes most of her own clothes), swimming, and dancing.

She enjoys music and all sports. She especially likes to watch football, soccer, and basketball.

While attending school, Lona moved several times and didn't have a chance to belong to different clubs and organizations. When interviewed she said, "Now that I'm at Castleton I hope to be a part of things and really get to know the kids."

Lona is planning to major in general elementary education and would like to teach either first or third grade.

CATHY HALE

A quiet but friendly smile and a cheery "hello" is Cathy Hale's way of greeting you. She is five foot three with blue eyes and light brown hair.

Cathy, a member of the sophomore class, is from Bartonville, Vermont. She attended Bellows Falls High School where she graduated in June, 1958. In high school she was active in the Future Homemakers of America, Glee Club, and 4-H.

This year Cathy is on the work program and vice president of her dorm, Leavenworth Hall. In her freshman year she was a dorm counsellor. Both her freshman and sophomore years Cathy has worked behind the stage on the Minstrelty show for the Class of 1962.

Cathy likes to watch most sports including soccer and basketball. She is majoring in general elementary education and would like to teach in the first four grades.

SANDIE DAVENPORT

Five foot two, eyes of blue, has anyone seen Sandie Davenport? (She also has short blond hair, a refreshing smile, and a friendly word for everyone.)

Sandie, a member of the freshman class from Chittenden, Vermont, graduated from Rutland High School in June. In high school, Sandie was a member of the Student Council and was also active in the International Relations Club, Future Homemakers of America, and Girls' Athletic Association.

Sandie likes classical music and is a member of the college glee club. She is also chairman of the freshman class. She enjoys most sports, including soccer and basketball.

Sandie is planning to major in Junior High education and would like to teach physical education in the ninth grade.

HELENA RUBY

A quiet, cheerful smile and a bright "hello" around the campus, usually mean petite Helena Ruby is around.

Helena, a member of the sophomore class, is five foot five, with hazel eyes and short red hair. She hails from

Poultney, Vermont and graduated from Poultney High School in June, 1958. In high school Helena was active on the Student Council and in the Future Homemakers of America. She was also a member of the National Honor Society.

Here at C.T.C. Helena continues her active school life. Last year she was a member of the College Glee Club, Psychology Club, Drama Club, and International Relations Club. This year she is active as a member of the Castleton staff, I.R.C., and as a player on the soccer team. Swimming, skiing, and dancing are all of special interest to Helena.

Helena is majoring in elementary education and would like to teach either third or fourth grade.

PAT LAKE

Shy, twinkling eyes and a quiet bashful grin are always followed by petite Pat Lake. She is five foot four with green eyes and light brown hair. She may be quiet and bashful, but she always has a friendly "hello" for everyone she meets.

Pat is a freshman from Saxtons River, Vermont and graduated from Bellows Falls High School in 1959. In high school she was a member of the Latin Club, worked on the Senior Hop, and played on the girls' basketball team.

She likes music and is a member of the college glee club at Castleton. Pat saw her first soccer game here at C.T.C. and is now an ardent fan. She also enjoys basketball, tennis, swimming, dancing, and football and basketball as a spectator.

Pat is planning to major in elementary education and would like to teach in the first four grades.

Faculty Cuts

by Janet Walker

During a recent short vacation, several faculty members attended the Teachers' Convention held in Burlington, October 22 and 23. Dr. Siegel, Mr. Mullen, Miss Jackson, Mr. White, and Miss Ewald just couldn't seem to escape the education curriculum.

Miss Ewald appears to have been right in the heart of the Convention activities. She was the State Director for the Publications of the American Association Health, Physical Education Recreation. She was also active in the plans for a dance which was held Friday afternoon.

On the domestic side, Mr. Bushnell spent the weekend in New Hampshire. He was constructive in building a roof for his hen house.

Mrs. Johnson traveled to Boston.

The students hope that all the faculty enjoyed a good "vacation."



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Least We Forget

by Francis Vara

Note—Some information taken from old college papers.

Castleton Teachers College, as an institution of higher learning and as a training school for teachers has existed for 92 years. It has sent forth many men and women to transmit its ideals and efforts to young citizens of the state it serves. Our college has encountered many storms along its route to the peak of its present life. It has withstood a devastating fire, a period of inactivity when its doors were closed by an act of legislature and the greatest depression the country has known. It stands today as a monument to the determination, courage and perseverance of those who accepted every obstacle as a challenge.

Achievement never comes without hardwork and a positive goal whether it be the achievement of one individual struggling alone, or that of a body of people.

One of Castleton's most renowned leaders of the "new school" was Dr. Caroline S. Woodruff, a teacher, leader and friend. Dr. Woodruff was nationally known as one of the great women educators of our time, serving as President of the National Education Association. She was principal of the Castleton Normal School for nineteen years. Under Miss Woodruff's administration Castleton grew physically from two buildings to four on the main campus and the addition of a gymnasium. She started the plans for a men's dorm and a principal's home on the Glen Brook Estate. Educationally, under Dr. Woodruff's leadership the school expanded from an institution offering two years of training to one of four years culminating in a degree.

Dr. Florence Hale, secretary of the Board of Trustees for the N.E.A. once wrote, "One cannot write of Dr. Woodruff without remembering her personal charm, her culture, and grace of manner, and the fine dignity which she accepted and carried out the duties of the positions of high honor to which she was called again and again. In every sense of the word Dr. Caroline S. Woodruff was a great lady as well as a great educator."

Along with the material growth of Castleton, Miss Woodruff saw to it that certain ideals, standards and traditions were set, thus giving Castleton

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Student Responsibility In National And International Affairs

by Alan Burr Overstreet

Associate Professor of Government, Smith College

Most National Student Association meetings are unimpressive, not to say dull, as long as they settle for being merely glorified campus gossip sessions. Unable to compete with the adult world in formulating and expressing their views, college students all too frequently go one step further and decide, as policy, that they **should** not attempt to treat national and international issues. Whenever this decision is made, it seems to me to be an error in judgment guaranteeing that the organization will never rise above the level of triviality.

The grounds for this criticism were well suggested by a speaker on the B.B.C. "London Forum" broadcast of January 12, 1958, who, in discussing education in England, said, "After all, the temper of the young conditions the resolution of the country." College leaders who make no effort to challenge or shape the "temper" of the present college generation toward a concern with national and international affairs fail in their responsibility to themselves and their fellow students.

The briefest examination of the attitudes, the "mood" of the present student generation in relation to national and international problems reveals a predominant "flight from reality" that bodes ill for the future resolution of the republic. The flight from reality takes two forms: a general erosion of idealism and a specific "storm-center mentality" expressive of exclusive preoccupation with the search for personal security.

The erosion of idealism is revealed in the tendency of many college students to feel that all ideas have been discredited because some utopias have turned out to be difficult to achieve. This attitude, for example is most notable among the former supporters of the U.N. or of world federalist solutions to the international anarchy of our day; it is also true, to a large extent, of the college student population. Disillusioned by discovering the magnitude of the barriers to the immediate realization of such goals, many have abandoned all support of these movements. The truly dangerous consequence is not merely the ending of active participation on behalf of commendable ideas, but also an extreme of disillusionment that has led many to remove themselves completely from all political activity. The result is that the policies of both political parties in the U.S. suffer an increasing decline of the leavening and restraining influence of their idealistic minorities. When the "couldn't-care-less" ex-idealists no longer put any weight into the balances of political opinion, they increase the likelihood of undesirable approaches to the great issues of our times.

In the light of the erosion of idealism, it is not surprising to find so many, though not all, students preoccupied with sometimes cynically limited searches for personal security. But the consequence is a scorn of the dedicated, a reluctance to explore the unorthodox, an unwillingness to seek or welcome change. The decision to squeeze a cushy existence for oneself out of the existing status-quo, to avoid all the risks of involvement, to reject the futile dogmas of the older generation yet not to bother with the search for new solutions applicable to our changed circumstances, is this generation's abdication of responsibility.

17 to 22 is the age that should reflect emergence from adolescent insulation against reality and the growth of social and political maturity. The predispositions then developed will tend to shape later attitudes and actions. If student leaders wish to make certain that present irrationalities and immaturities in American politics will continue to plague us, and will continue to leave other peoples unimpressed by the virtues of democracy, then the gossip session approach is the proper course to pursue. But then no one should be surprised if the democratic ideal suffers further reverses not only overseas but also in our own country.

There is no dearth of devices for helping to focus attention on national and international affairs. The real problem is to get students to make a policy decision to accept this wider, additional responsibility rather than being satisfied solely with an ingrown focus on campus affairs. And if the student leader wants a motto to serve as a reminder of the importance of this additional responsibility, he might well adopt the sentence "There is no security save in what we do." Disregarding national and international problems will neither make them vanish nor prepare the citizenry to deal with them effectively.

Operation Friendship

by William J. Madden,
Holy Cross College
Sue Heineman,
Mount Holyoke College

On August 28, during the 12th National Congress, Jose Peunte Blanco, president of the Federation of University Students of Cuba, invited 190 NSA delegates to visit Cuba for a week. All expenses from New York to Havana and back, hotels, food, trips to night-clubs, beaches, the interior of Cuba, factories and universities were paid by the FEU. A total of students from the New England Region were in the group; the colleges represented were Dartmouth, Pembroke, MIT, Mount Holyoke, Holy Cross, Simmons, Bridgewater State Teachers, Harvard Graduate Schools, American International and Our Lady of the Elms.

As soon as we arrived in Cuba, we were immediately aware that this country was in a state of revolution; even at the airport, Cubans approached us desiring to know our opinions about Castro, about their revolution and particularly about the new social reforms. Around the airport and on the streets were seen the long-haired soldiers proudly flaunting their military hardware. These somewhat barbarous-looking men are the tangible and obvious symbols of the Revolution and the hope of what is to come.

About 80% of the Cuban people are overwhelmingly in favor of Castro; he is the personification of everything they hope for, and as a result, he is viewed in a somewhat unreal way. Thus it was quite thrilling when we met Castro, after a four hour wait of mounting anticipation. We had expected a long three hour speech, but instead received a ten minute welcome talk in which Senor Castro apologized for the lateness of the hour; he expressed the wish for greater sympathy from the United States and the need for better understanding between the two countries.

We returned home with a better tan, but more importantly with a little wisdom and understanding of our Cuban neighbors.

THANKSGIVING BANQUET

Among the many traditions at Castleton Teachers College is the annual Thanksgiving banquet, which is to be held this year in the college dining room on November 19th. There will be table service.

Editorial

The editorial page of *The Spartan* is a page of opinions—not just for the editor and the editorial staff, but for the students, administration and faculty as well.

There are many sides to campus problems and conditions. Through letters from its readers *The Spartan* hopes to present constructive, many-sided views.

The Spartan needs your help to show others' viewpoints. We hope you will send your thoughts and criticisms in the form of letters "To the Editor."

There are only these rules:

Letters must be signed

Names will be withheld if requested.

The Editor reserves the right to judge each letter on its merits to *Spartan* readers and to edit it to conform to *Spartan* style.

It is your page of opinions.

Dr. Holden Speaks

by Art DeLorenzo

Dr. A. John Holden, the commissioner of Education for the state of Vermont, will visit the campus of Castleton Teachers College next week. This visit has been brought about by Mr. Shadt of the Social Studies department. Dr. Holden will discuss his trip through Russia and the experiences he encountered there. He was sent by the U. S. State Department to enlighten the citizens of this country on the reality of the Soviet Union's Educational system. Dr. Holden will also show slides which he took. These slides should prove to be very interesting and informative to those who have never seen the true Russia. The program will begin at 1:30 on November 18 in room 28 of the Science building.

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Spartan Sparklers

by Jeanne Longley

C.T.C.'s Homecoming Weekend was held October 30-31 with many exciting events. Friday night was the successful "Beatnik Party," where each student enjoyed the atmosphere of a typical Hide-a-way! Saturday was the discussion groups and etc., for the Alumni—sponsored by the Junior class in the morning. In the afternoon the Spartans played Norwich in soccer—may I add, a bit "muddy field" for the fellows. Ending the events, was the "Harvest Moon Formal." A very enjoyable weekend for all. Listed below are comments of students about the weekend.

Evie Berge: "I think the Homecoming this year was very successful. The new addition of the Beatnik Party by the A.A. really went over well. The kids had a great time, and they looked like beatniks. It was great to see the alumni on campus Saturday and the climax of the weekend with the fall formal was great."

Marie Bell: "The Homecoming Weekend was a big success and especially the Beatnik Party. I've never seen as many students turn out for a dance, except a formal. We should have more dances or parties here and build up the spirit of this college. The decorating committee for the party and formal did a wonderful job and everyone who took part should be congratulated."

Jay Marcoux: "Speak to me in terms of true fun—read much Einstein—smoke—is that you, Mr. Terry? Fabulous fun!!!"

Frank Vara: "Those responsible for sponsoring and organizing the weekend should be commended. All who attend the programs enjoyed them very much. However, I do hope that in the future, we will include reception lines, grand marches, and slower dances, for formals."

Maureen Sullivan: "I thought the Beatnik Party was a great success. Everyone seemed to enjoy it and even the on-lookers got the 'beat.' The rest of the weekend was a big success also."

Jerry Lentini: "Fabulous—the girls at Ellis really made my date feel at home. Thanks!"

John Fisher: "Most of the credit goes to the decoration committee for making the formal a very colorful and complete success."

Helena Ruby: "I think it was 'wonderful'—All the kids who made the weekend a great success should be given a big hand."

Julian Jackson: "It's the greatest weekend Castleton Teachers College has had in my opinion and it shows what the students can do."

Campus Personality



JOHN TAFT

"ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION
PRESIDENT"

Three cheers for John Taft, our vim and vigorous Athletic Association President. A native of Glens Falls, New York, John graduated from Glens Falls High School, and then attended Siena College in Albany, New York for one and one half years.

At C.T.C. he has enthusiastically participated in basketball, and soccer, and enjoys waterskiing. Incidentally, John, "congrats" for the goals and fine work you did on the soccer team as right wing.

John is majoring in Junior High education at C.T.C., and his favorite subject is "Lunch" but he wouldn't mind having "Zoology" left out of the curriculum.

During the two and a half years John has been at C.T.C., he has held an office in the senate and is on the house committee at Morrill House.

Hey, John, we heard your favorite colors are "yayooou and dreen,"—and you really like to play the tuba????!! How do you play the tuba???

Future plans for John include working for his Masters in Administration, and he would like to teach Junior High School in New York.

James Yatsik: "It was a great success except for the rain and the soccer game, especially the Junior discussions."

Jeanne Longley: "All of these comments can be easily summed up—the Homecoming Weekend was a big success and it's what all the students enjoy. Let's have many more and more spirit will grow—Right?"

Dream College

Most of us, at one time or other, have given in to our imagination, and let them take us to far-off and unusual places. Perhaps they have even taken us out of our realistic world and into a much more exciting world known as a dream world.

Often, we sit in our room studying for a test, and find our mind fixed on a dream college. But, after pondering its possibilities for a short while, we return to our studies and say, "Oh, what's the use?"

Apparently, there is some worth to these "different" ideas. The committee for the National Ford Foundation's Fund for the Advancement of Education has allocated \$20,000 in funds to find out just what a student's dream college would be like.

The committee has asked students from four Massachusetts colleges including Amherst, Smith, Mt. Holyoke, and the University of Massachusetts to take part in the program. The students are asked to keep a diary of dream college ideas. Also, they are given questionnaires to fill out from time to time.

The Ford Foundation feels that the answers given by these students will help solve such things as architectural problems on the campuses of the future, as well as in the planning of new and modern college structures.

Odds And Ends

Mr. Wright has announced that there is money available to the students from the National Defense Loan.

New faces are being seen on the campus lately. They are the faces of the Seniors that have returned from their nine weeks of student teaching. I bet that they have some wild stories to tell of their teaching experiences. How about it, kids?????

It is really great to see the friendly faces of these Seniors but we all will miss the pleasant faces of the ones that left for their nine weeks of student teaching.

Ellis Hall is having "Open House Weekend," November 15th. The faculty are going to be served refreshments Sunday afternoon, and there will also be entertainment provided. Later in the day tours will be given for those interested in being shown around the dorm. **Everyone** is cordially invited to attend, so be sure to come and refreshments will be served.

Everyone must agree with me that Bea's really looks great up in the rec room. It gives so much more college atmosphere to the place. Thanks to Bea for making the rec room a friendlier place to gather and meet friends.

Student Teaching

The seniors in Section Y, who will be starting their student teaching assignments November 9, are Lewis Adams, Junior High in Proctor; Sylvia Alcorn, grades one and two in Stockbridge; Cecilia Allison, grades one, two, and three in Castleton Corners; Arthur Benedict, grades five and six in Castleton; Mrs. Alvira Blodgett, elementary and Junior High art in Rutland; Robert Burroughs, Junior High in Vergennes; Mrs. Dawn Clark, grade five in Manchester; Bertram Coolidge, grades seven and eight in Brandon; Lynn Day, Junior High in Rutland; Barbara Fallon, grade four in Rutland; Thomas Flower, grade six in Charlotte; and Dorothy Gecha, grade eight in Pittsford.

Also, there are Karl Guibord, grades one and two in Rupert; Elaine Hogaboom, grade one in Castleton; Roberta Hood, grades one, two, three, and four; in Wells; John Kelley, grade eight in Fair Haven; Almira Ludden, grades five, six, seven, and eight in Wells; John McCormack, grade seven, eight, and nine in Proctor; Kathy McDevitt, grade one in West Rutland; Mrs. Priscilla Oliver, grades one and two in Salisbury; Beverly Osterberg, grades seven and eight in Williamstown; Dorothy Paul, grade six in Rutland; Robert Peck, grades five, six, seven, and eight in Sudbury; Lorna Richard, grade six in Forestdale; Leonard Socinski, grade six in West Rutland; Dorothy White, grade five in Rutland; and Mrs. Geri Williams, grade one in White River.

Basketball

by Sam Carrara

Basketball practice for the Spartans of Castleton Teachers College officially started on the 2nd of November with a somewhat dismal showing as only 20 candidates appeared. Both Varsity Coach Terry and J. V. Coach Dick Ingalls were disappointed at the showing and hoped that more boys would show up.

Practice continued throughout the week with a few more prospects showing up. These practices showed Coach Terry and Ingalls the players with the most drive and best ability enabling them to make the final cut on the 6th of November.

The Varsity squad consists of Mike Barsalow, Lee Carter, Ed Fabian, Bob Iusi, Stanley Pietryka, Ramon Ruby, Stuart St. Peter, John Taft, Jerry Toomy, George Daley, Bob Pedro, Ed Fabian, John Emerson and Paul Godette.

Members of the J. V. squad are Don Goodell, Dick Hayden, Tom Keefe, Tom Manell, Dick Smyrski, George Bergin, Bob Ward, Howard Saunders, Bob Bennett, and Art DeLorenzo.

Across The Campus

by Dotty

Now that things have quieted down a bit from Homecoming Weekend, I'd like to take this opportunity to congratulate Helena Ruby on being our First Homecoming Queen!

In the same vein, there have been many favorable comments to the Beatnik Party and Homecoming Weekend. We hope this will become tradition at Castleton!

The trans-Atlantic cable has found its way to the ear of Jay Marcoux. Is everything CHUMMY in Germany these days, Jay?

The happy threesome, otherwise known as Sheila, Kathy, and "guest" have been traveling again. This time they spent the weekend in Middlebury and attended the UVM-Middlebury game. Do you three ever stay in one place?

Mary Taylor has joined the ranks of the future brides at Ellis Hall. We wish her much happiness and best wishes in the future. When is the big day, Mary?

Man on Third! This is the call heard via the Inter-com as the Seniors come back from their Student Teaching. Among those returning are Lynn Brooks, Mary Carley, Nancy White, Trudy Landry, Sally Roggmann, Beulah Lanpher, Betty Paquette, Betty O'Brien, Bobbi McGlaflin. Welcome back and good luck!

Ellis Hall seems to have been victimized by bad omens lately. Sheila Coville is recuperating at home. We hope you are feeling better, Sheila. Also, Marlene "Dubber" Booth is well on the way to recovery as this article goes to press. We all will be glad to have her back with us shortly. Get well, quick—eh, Dubber!

Ellis Hall is losing two of its nicest people. Elaine Hogaboom and Betty Coleman are going to be living at the residence of Reverend Johnson for the remainder of the year. Be sure to come and visit us often, girls!

Also, we would like to say good-bye to Karl (otherwise known as "Stubby") Gibbord. He will be student teaching in his home town and will have completed requirements for graduation in January. Come back occasionally, Stubby! "Now there it is!"

Ann Hatfield and Vera Williams spent the weekend with Marilyn Johnson. It seems that one of the girls didn't quite make it to church Sunday! What happened???

Connie Kenyon also visited Elvira Bellomo. It was quite a weekend, eh, girls.

What's all the noise on the second floor? Kay, Sandie and Pat will be working off warnings before long!!!

The girls of Leavenworth wish Mrs. Condon a "happy vacation." She'll be leaving the 20th.

LOOKING AT STYLES

with Kathy

The new auditorium was the scene October 31st, for our Homecoming Formal. The auditorium decor aptly followed the theme of Halloween and a bevy of glamorous gals and their handsome escorts donned formal costumes and prepared to dance away the evening.

"Fashion spies" were at work and they took notice of several beautifully attired Castleton women, who for the most part, were all "bouffant" with mounds of petticoats over which they displayed sensational creations such as the following:

Queen Helena Ruby wore an emerald green chiffon print with matching accessories—needless to say, the color was well suited for our charming queen, she looked radiant.

One of our grads, Betsy Burke caught many eyes in an electric blue evening dress, set off with puffed eyelet sleeves.

Also in blue, was Joyce Marcoux. Her crystalettes, full skirted dress was most attractive.

Mary Jane Madigan looked lovely, dressed in iridescent taffeta set off by a fringed cumberbund and gleaming gold buckle.

Most charming was Andy Vitenbergs, attired in a gray-blue print chiffon flared skirt cocktail dress and white accessories.

Priscilla Oliver was stunning in black velvet! Her dress had an attractive stand-out collar and she wore gold accessories.

Bobbi McGlaflin was attired in a patina green pure silk dress with shoes to match. Pearl accessories completed the outfit.

All in all—the evening was very successful and displayed great taste in fashions.

Larry Cook, Dorwin Stoddart, Art Benedict and Frank Vara as well as Ma are grateful to the Maintenance Department for their new "clothes presses."

Pete Burroughs and Bud Coolidge have moved out of Morrill House for a nine-week period in order to start their student teaching.

We understand that a group of Morrill House boys entertained a group of Ellis Hall girls on the night of the formal. Is this true, Steve, Larry, Jean, Evie, Dotty, Judy, Martha, Cal, and Bill? Larry and Steve would like to say Thanks for the cake, it tasted like the title! "Beatniky."

Jon Emerson, I'm so anxious for you to know that you did a good job on the Formal.

Frank Vara, all the boys at Morrill House are so happy you did good work at your student teaching.

What's this—Morrill House has a new "dishwasher"? Right, Moonman.

S. C. A.

by Janet Walker

On Tuesday, November 3, Rev. Dale Russell from the Methodist Church in Rutland, Vermont, spoke to the group on "The Spread of Christianity through the Middle Ages." His topic was primarily related to the history of the Church at that period.

At the fall of the Roman Empire in 476 A.D. the ruling people were the Church. When the Roman papacy was instituted, the pope was the supreme power. During this time there was a variety of governments and the head of the Church reduced the hodge-podge of ideas.

Constantinople was the capital of the Roman Empire during the Middle Ages. Gregory the Great ushered in the papacy, which became the center of religious and political life.

Leo I, the first pope of the Church, is the first authority on Christianity.

Throughout the twelfth and thirteenth centuries, a pomneid papacy ruled. The Church was at its peak.

The monastic movement within this period was ascetic in nature. The ideal life was one of withdrawal from the world. Thus, many people entered the monasteries.

In atonement for a non-secluded life several practices arose. First, the practice of confession came into being. Out of this pilgrimages, prayers and rosaries were developed.

Second, prayers and penance were encouraged for the dead. People were asked to contribute large gifts to the Church in honor of the dead. Masses were also spoken for the dead.

The underlying philosophy of the Romans was that God was one of judgment, not one of love. From this came the origin of purgatory. God waited for interceding of the Saints.

Religious leaders believed that salvation could be achieved primarily through meritorious works. During the fifth and sixth centuries A.D. missionary work was prevalent.

The Church was the one force which stood against barbarism. It was the institution also responsible for the rise of schools and knowledge.

During the Mohammedan movement, when the Franks were against the Moslems, the Crusades grew.

In conclusion, the Church was one of externalism. A ritualistic religion was growing instead of one of the heart. Religion was a matter of obedience to the dictates of the Church, not a spiritual belief.

Mrs. Parker will aid the new house-director, who will be here during Mrs. Condon's absence.

After nine weeks of student teaching, Gary Quinn, Tony Citro and Donald Boardman have moved back into Morrill House.

W. A. A.

by Sheila Rae Poole

Thursday, October 29, 1959 the girls' soccer team participated in their only game of the season with Lyndon Teachers College losing by a score of 1-0.

Starting line-up for the game was:

RW—Mary Jane Madigan
RI—Letitia Maslack
C—Sheila Poole, Captain
LI—Maryanne Hunter
LW—Evelyn Carpenter
RHB—Helena Ruby
CHB—Mary Ryan
LHB—Deanne Parker
LFB—Cathy Macia
RFB—Pat Keedy

Outstanding defensive playing was shown by Pat Keedy, Bev Osterberg, and Mary Ryan.

Although Castleton in the first half were slow in starting, by the completion of the third and fourth quarters the girls had good control of the ball.

Through the use of effective substitutions, Castleton was able to keep Lyndon down to one score.

The offense was sparked by Letitia Maslack, who played an outstanding offensive game throughout.

On behalf of the girls' soccer team, I would like to take this opportunity to thank Miss Edith Ewald and Bob Underhill for their valuable time and guidance.

Attention, Girls!!!!!! Anyone interested in participating in intramural volleyball is urged to go to the new gym on Monday and Wednesday at 3:30. Let's see as many girls out as possible, making this activity a success.

Least We Forget

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a unique position in the state and nation. This is so important to any public or private institution.

Castleton's own Dr. Rachel Hinkley wrote in "The Birdseye" of June 7, 1940: "The pulse of Castleton beats in its traditions. Groups participating in these traditions have emanated the power of idea of Castleton. The school has believed in a sturdy sentiment as an assurance of faith in itself, in its purposes and potential realizations and those who have been associated with the school through its traditions have grasped a real conception of the intrinsic meaning of Castleton."

We owe a great deal to the early leaders of Castleton, especially Dr. Caroline Woodruff and what better way is there to express our feelings and gratitude than to carry on a certain degree of tradition.

In later editions of this paper some of the Castleton traditions will be recounted.

Soccer Roundup

by Donald Orvis

On October 28th, Castleton traveled to Plymouth Teachers College to encounter its final Conference game of the year. The weather wasn't too cooperative, for it was a windy and cold day. The Green and White ended up on the short end of the stick with a 2-1 score. Early in the second quarter, Sam Ezzo, an offensive standout all year, scored on a pass from Sam Carrara. But just two seconds before the half was over Castleton had a hand ball in the penalty area and Plymouth tied the score 1-1. In the third period Plymouth Teachers' scored again on a direct kick just outside the penalty area. C.T.C. made many fine drives the rest of the game to score, but the ball just wouldn't hit the net. Standouts on defense throughout the game were right halfback Erwin Nichols and right fullback Mike Barslow. This was C.T.C.'s first defeat and not an embarrassing one either, for everyone tried with everything they had.

On Saturday, October 31st, the Cadets from Norwich came to play Castleton for C.T.C.'s final game of the year. Again the weather was inconvenient for it was raining, causing a very muddy field. Castleton, for the second game in a row ended up short of a victory by a 3-1 margin.

Castleton took an early lead on a goal by Cal Hastings with an assist from Sam Carrara. Norwich tied the score before halftime and scored twice more in the second half. "Honker" Fregosi, Mike Barslow, Co-Captain "Big Ed" Fabian and Skip Pietryka are to be complimented for fine defensive work.

Castleton Teachers' College finished the season with an impressive 7-2-1 record. The tie was a scrimmage with Middlebury College. The team is to be thanked for a fine soccer season.

Coach Terry deserves considerable credit for his fine coaching techniques so let all of us tip our hats and congratulate him.

C.T.C. SCORERS

Names	Goals
Ezzo	9
Guibord	7
Carrara	5
Lazetera	3
Taft	2
Orvis	2
Fabian	1
Hastings	1
Pedro	1
Toomey	1
TOTAL	32

Castleton Voices Opinions In New England College Survey

by Frank Vara

In an effort to determine how to meet the impending shortage of college teachers, Castleton Teachers College was asked to participate in a survey sponsored by the New England Board of Higher Education. The purpose of this survey, in which 45 New England Institutions are participating, is to get the collegian's attitude towards the college teaching profession.

Under the direction of Dean Black, 30 students from the three upper classes whose average is no lower than "B" and who represent most subject majors in the curriculum, were selected to answer the survey questionnaire.

Those who participated include:

Sophomores:

Barbara Duchane
Joseph Gee
T. Harrington
Ardith McKirryher
Frank Morgan
Janet Walker
Donald Orvis
Stuart Farnham
Donald Goodell
Ronald Hasseltine
Carolyn Johnson

Juniors:

Robert DesLaurier
Ferne Mills
Alice Parker
Joyce Marcoux
Ronald Sweet
Marcell Carrier
Harold Kelly

Seniors:

Sylvia Alcorn
Cecelia Allison
Alvera Blodgett
Helen Tatrow
Dorothy White
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Drama Club Presents Born Yesterday

The Castleton Players have chosen Gordon Kravitz's "Born Yesterday" as the first production to be presented in the new auditorium on December 9th and 10th at 8:30 P.M.

This is the story of a millionaire junk dealer, played by Tom Ranney, and his ex-chorus girl friend, played by Tessa Miley.

The junk dealer goes to Washington and tries to get some laws passed, and to do this he tries to bribe a senator. While he was there he found his girl friend quite dumb, so, he hires a smart, young reporter to tutor her. Hilarious results follow.

The cast includes:

Billie Dawn	Tessa Miley
Paul Verrall	Bob Undeen
Senator Norval Hedges	Joe Whalen
Mrs. Hedges	Carolee Carroll
Bellhop	Norman Cyr
Manicurist	Mary Lou Bruehl
The Assistant Manager	Mickey Jackson
Harry Brock	Tom Ranney
En Devery	Al Blastos
Eddie Brock	Jerry Lentini
Helen Barber	Jay Marcoux
	Bob Perry

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Congressman Meyer Will Address Assembly Monday

Congressman William H. Meyer will speak to the student body Monday, November 16 in Woodruff Auditorium at 2:30 p.m. A reception will follow in the Faculty Lounge. Refreshments will be served.

Faculty Cuts

Congratulations, Mr. and Mrs. Schadt, upon the arrival of your new daughter, Audrey Hope.

Mr. Terry has been ill for the past month with fever (buck). We hope you get well soon.

Dean Black attended a registrars' conference this past week-end at Williams College.



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Congressman Meyer Visits CTC

by Dick Burke

On Monday, November 16, 1959, it was indeed an honor to have Congressman William H. Meyer visit the Castleton campus and address a portion of the faculty and student body. Mr. Meyer is reputed to be the first Democratic Congressman in Vermont in over one-hundred years.

Dr. Dundas introduced the guest to a large number of students and faculty members that had gathered in the Woodruff Hall auditorium.

Congressman Meyer began his talk by recounting the transition he went through from private to public life. Then he told of his progress in trying to reach the people of Vermont so that he may hear and more completely understand their problems. Since Congress had adjourned last September, he has spoken to over one-hundred groups and organizations, and he has personally contacted over 10,000 Vermonters in his travels. This record is quite indicative of his seriousness of purpose.

Mr. Meyer, a member of the Congressional Committee on Foreign Affairs, was in a position to speak very informatively on international affairs. Much of his talk dealt with threats of war and thoughts of peace.

He believes that Russia wants to conquer the world—yet they want peace as much as we do. They are constantly gaining ground and attaining their wants through diplomatic channels. According to Meyer, it would be detrimental rather than beneficial for Russia to go to war.

If Russia gives economic aid to a foreign country, in a short time she will be in a position to slip a great deal of political influence into the country—and in time, warp the minds of the people towards communism. Meyer also noted that Russia is large and strong enough now to challenge the United States in power politics.

After his talk, Mr. Meyer held a question and answer period. Questions ranging from, "What significance will Eisenhower's trip have on world affairs?", to, "Do the newspapers in the East fairly and honestly represent both political parties equally?", were asked the congressman.

Following the program, a reception was held in the lounge of Leavenworth Hall in Mr. Meyer's honor.



Old Christmas tradition revived.

CTC Is Festive As Pre-Holiday Reigns

Were Our Forefathers More Intelligent?

Have you ever thought about the possibility that our Forefathers might have been more intelligent than our space-age men?

We have improved on ideas that our forefathers originated. I believe it was far harder for a man back in the days when machinery hadn't been invented to devise some mechanism that would do the job he wanted done. Today we use all sorts of machinery that has been invented, using little that comes directly from the imagination of man, to reach our ultimate goal.

Some day while tying your shoe, stop and realize the amount of thinking a person must have put into the task of tying a bow. Remember, no one had ever done this before or anything similar to it. Pretty smart cookie, huh?

Next time you get into a car, think about where you'd be if some intelligent guy hadn't had the brains and inspiration to invent the lowly wheel. For 'tis true that many of our modern conveniences rest on this turning wheel.

These are just a few of the many difficult things that our dear forefathers accomplished. Of course, I believe that we have many very intelligent scientists today. But, most of the equipment and substances which these very intelligent scientists use and experiment with were already invented and discovered.

—Taken from "The Searchlight," Johnson Teachers College.

by Frank Vara

As Christmas draws near Castleton enters into festive activities which center around local traditions.

The drama club opened the week's festivities with its presentation, "Born Yesterday" under the direction of Mr. Elkin.

Members of the S.C.A. held a service of carols and presented a very impressive Candlelighting program at the Federated Church.

The annual Christmas Banquet was held on Thursday in the college dining room. The room was decorated with candles and evergreens, as well as other Christmas arrangements, under the direction of faculty advisor Miss Hale and a committee led by Pat Keedy. Dean Black opened the meal with Grace and extended a few words of welcome to the student body and guests. All settled down to a delicious meal of fried chicken and the fixin's prepared by Miss Campbell and her staff.

Dr. Dundas closed the meal by extending a Merry Christmas to all. He then asked everyone to join in and sing Silent Night.

At the conclusion of the banquet the group adjourned to the new gym where they were privileged to hear the St. Michael's Glee Club sing an array of Christmas music.

Amid its revelry Castleton stopped to re-enact all of the mystery and beauty of the old, old Christmas story which was brought to us this year by the Glee Club, under the direction of Miss Markham, in the form of a film strip and correlated singing.

Student Teaching

by Art Benedict

Since I have been doing my fifteen weeks of student teaching all in one semester, several students here at Castleton have been asking my opinion about this program and if I would recommend it for them. I have decided to take this opportunity to "let it be known" how I feel about this situation.

First of all, I must tell you that doing fifteen weeks of teaching all in one semester was not of my own choosing. In my junior year I was unable to go out for the six week period because I was taking full semester courses. Consequently, I had to save the six week's teaching until the first six weeks of this year.

When the student teacher steps into the classroom for the first time at the beginning of the first period, he is faced with an experience which is different from anything he has ever encountered before. During the six weeks, he is under the supervision of the co-operating teacher who is helping him to develop ideas and strengthen any weaknesses which he might have. Also, the college supervisors make several observations and offer helpful suggestions for improvement where they are needed. By the end of these six weeks, the student teacher receives an evaluation from his co-operating teacher and the college supervisors which presents a good analysis of his ability in the classroom. Also, he should have, in his own mind, a self evaluation of his teaching abilities thus far.

Under the present program here at Castleton, six weeks of the junior year are devoted to the first period of student teaching, then there is a lapse of three months or more between the end of the junior student teaching and the beginning of the nine weeks' period of senior student teaching. During this time the student has the opportunity to evaluate himself as to methods, weaknesses, strengths, and how he may improve during the coming nine weeks of teaching.

If you are doing the fifteen weeks in one semester, you have no time in between in which to make a self-evaluation or give yourself the chance to think over what you have done, and to confer with your supervisors. You do not have ample time to prepare yourself constructively for what is coming so

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American Secret Weapon The E Bomb

The common bond of education is serving to spread the friendship of America around the world.

A number of American universities and colleges are sharing their educational facilities and manpower with schools in a foreign countries. Wayne State, Kentucky, Wyoming, Stanford, New York, Michigan and Michigan State are examples.

Each year Wayne State provides a training program for 150 teachers of Thailand. Because of lack of texts and reference books, the teachers learn new methods of communicating knowledge to their students. Financial help is also provided them.

The University of Kentucky is co-operating with the technical and science faculty of the University of Indonesia. The object of the program is more qualified Indonesian science professors.

The University of Wyoming is an educational partner with the Royal Afghan Ministries of Education and Agriculture. The two are combining to reorganize Afghan schools as well as educate Afghan students at the Rocky Mountain school.

Improvement of the Philippine vocational education system is the object of Stanford University. New York University is striving with Israel in an executive management training program.

The University of Michigan is engaged in a program to bring industry-sponsored research to Waseda University, Tokyo, while Michigan State University has cooperative programs in seven countries.

The impact of the programs is best described by Pulitzer Prize winner and noted educator, Dr. Benjamin Fine, who calls it an "E-bomb."

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Why We Fall In Love

Why do we fall in love?

Professor Robert F. Winch, Northwestern University sociologist, knows why 50 young husbands and wives did.

According to Professor Winch's evidence, the love of man for woman and woman for man is basically self-serving; its primary purpose is to benefit the lover, not the beloved.

Each of us, he says, tends to fall in love with someone whose personality is the complement of our own and through whom we can therefore relieve our own frustrations and vicariously live out our impossible wishes.

A tough, brusque, hard-driving man may long in secret to be a cared for child again.

He cannot do this, so he falls in love with a timid, frail girl whom he enjoys sheltering—and through whom, by proxy, he enjoys that would be other self.

She, meanwhile, has always yearned to be more aggressive and competent, and because she identifies her life with his, she indirectly achieves her wish. So each benefits and fulfills the other—and so love, though selfish in its origin, succeeds in becoming a mutual blessing.

Professor Winch believes this dovetailing of psychological needs to be essential reason for love and a far stronger force than sexual desire, beauty or similarity of tastes. These needs change as man and women go to work or to college.

The Challenge

The crucial issues of today's world confronting the individual in American society will be explored in a program of joint cooperation between Yale University and Smith College called "Challenge."

"Challenge" will direct public meetings, informal discussions and individual action throughout each term towards a central problem:

Fall Term: "The Challenge of the Nuclear Age."

Spring Term: "Twentieth Century American Democracy: Myth or Reality?"

Challenge was presented to the Smith student body at a mass meeting led by Sally Bowles, Smith student body president. Several of the speakers participating in "Challenge" include: Hugh Gaitskell, Senator Hubert Humphrey, Jules Pfeiffer, Walter Ruther, Norman Thomas and Reinhold Niebuhr.

Editor's Note—Is there a chance we could get together with other colleges? Let's hear some student opinion on this matter.

Campus Personality



EVELYN BERGE
Social Rec. Chairman

by Marilyn Daniels

Likeable, attractive and congenial are only a few ways to describe our campus personality of this issue! And, this red-headed "cutie," well-known by most of us, is Evie Berge.

Evie came to C.T.C. after graduating from Arlington Memorial High School, in Arlington, Vermont, where she was an active member for her class as well as for her school. Arlington is also Evie's home town.

Our ambitious Social Recreation Chairman, Evie is doing her best for our student body. At present, Evie is a member of the Alpha Lambda Honor Society, and she was also a member of the dorm council at Ellis Hall last year.

Evie enjoys playing on our girls' volley ball and soccer teams at C.T.C., and she equally enjoys field hockey, swimming, and ice skating.

Evie's major is English, and she is minoring in Elementary Education. Her favorite subject is "Modern Drama."

Future plans for Evie include a desire to eventually teach in the Western states. Good luck to you, Evie.

S C A News

by Janet Walker

On November 10, 1959, Rev. Howard Adams from the First Baptist Church in Hydeville, Vermont, spoke on the Reformation during the Renaissance.

November 17, 1959, Miss Hale presented an interesting message on the Puritan Reformation.

On December 1st the S.C.A. decorated the "Tree for Joy, the Christmas tree for children in the Pittsford Sanitarium. Judy Kearns is the committee chairman.

December 8th brought Carol Singing through the town at 7 o'clock. This was followed by a candlelight service at the Federated Church under the direction of Jane Jennings and Don Boardman.

"From The Birdseye"

by Frank Vara

Students at C.T.C. may be interested in entrance requirements of our school in 1867, found on the back of a school register for that year.

"Candidates for admission to the State Normal schools must present testimonials of good moral character and must pass an examination in (1) Arithmetic (2) Geography (3) Grammar"

"Graduation candidates having passed a satisfactory examination in first course must be examined in:

1. Bookkeeping by double entry, algebra, physical geography, physiology, elements of botany with drawings of forms, natural philosophy, a thorough analysis and explanation of one book of Cooper or Thompson.
2. Some of these, geology, surveying, zoology, intellectual philosophy, moral philosophy.
3. Critical exposition of Milton's "Paradise Lost" or "Bacon's Essays."

Voice Of The Senate

by Bill Foley

The first item of new business on the November 11 Senate Meeting was the need of a new assistant judge for the Student Court. Ron Hasseltine, assistant judge, resigned because he felt that being a commuter, he could not devote sufficient time to the job. Don Boardman was elected by the Senate as the new assistant judge.

March 24th, 25th and 26th are the dates set for the Eastern States Conference which is held in New York City.

The student delegate from Castleton this year will be Dick Burke. Others attending from Castleton will be one member of each class who will be elected by the student body, and the S. A. president, George Bergin. The theme for this year's conference is "Education for What?"

The class presidents were reminded that within three days after a Senate meeting they should hold a class meeting to inform the students as to what was discussed and accomplished at the Senate meetings.

Evie Berge reminded us that before anyone is allowed to use the gym they first must obtain permission from the "Social Rec."

Sympathy To Miss Hale

The Spartan staff wishes to offer their sympathy to Miss Elizabeth F. Hale on the loss of her aunt Dr. Florence Hale.

Spartan Sparklers

by Jeanne Longley

The "Spartan Sparklers" in this issue brings up the question of cheating, which is a topic brought up in most schools and colleges constantly. According to the dictionary, the word cheat means—one who, or that which deceives or defrauds. Taking this definition, you can easily say that cheating is wrong and shouldn't be carried on. Cheating will, however, continue just as long as the person or persons involved get the satisfaction from carrying it out. The questions always arise, "What can be done about it?", or "How can we stop cheating?". These questions are hard to answer. Listed below are a few comments from students on the subject of *Cheating in College*.

Art De Lorenzo: "It is unnecessary to cheat on tests. The professor gives plenty of time for the individual to prepare for exams and in the long run, you only wind up cheating yourself."

Carolee Carroll: "Cheating in my opinion is not fair to the individual or to others. As college students, we should be able to follow the honor system—But can we?"

Mike Barsolow: "In the long run by cheating you hurt no one but yourself. Sooner or later you will be out on your own and questions will come up again, which you will be unable to answer because you cheated once—Do you want that to happen?"

Beverly Schmidt: "The Van Doren episode opened the eyes of many people to the fact that the moral integrity of the country has sunk to a low level. In many colleges cheating has become such a common occurrence that it's not thought of as being wrong anymore. Instead it has been accepted as an easy way to pass tests and exams."

Gordon Kangas: "I think that by the time a person reaches college, he should realize cheating will fail to get him ahead. I think it would be a good idea if an honor system would be set up here at Castleton to benefit the student as well as the college."

Dot Paul: "If a person can get away with cheating in college, chances are the person will undoubtedly continue to cheat in later life. Not only themselves, but others. When we are in our own classroom, would we let our pupils cheat? Of course not! Then we must practice what we preach. I, for one, am in favor of the honor system."

Jay Marcoux: "What can it get you? Some will answer this by saying a passing grade, but if you really think about this question of cheating, you will realize that you are the only one to suffer. We, as future teachers, will not want to hear of our children

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Soph Entertainment



Mr. Mosher receives gifts from Sophs after successful show.

On November the 19th, the curtains opened on the first entertainment ever to be presented in our new gymnasium-auditorium. The Sophomores presented this "Minstreity" in true minstrel show style, with blacked-up endmen, and a large chorus.

Among the many highlights of the show were Tom Ranney's juggling and trampoline act, and "Old Man River," sung by Arthur Clough. Also highlighted were Maureen White, singing "Summertime," and "Maleguena," played by Janet Walker, along with dance routines by Mary Anne Towne, teamed with Mickey Jackson, Tedi Harrington with Maureen White, and Carolee Carroll, with her interpretation of modern jazz.

The cast included eight end-men, Don Orvis, Jim Gallagher, Al Blastos, Byron Fish, Jerry Lentini, Tom Lazetera, Dick Burke, and Bob Undeen, with Don Goodell acting as the Interlocutor.

Members of the acts and the chorus included: Mickey Jackson, Tom Ranney, Larry Barber, Barbara Duchane, Robert Bush, Arthur Clough, Art Leonardi, Eugene Oliver, Steven Dow, Ed Potter, Jane Williams, Mary Lou Bruehl, Virginia Worden, Carolee Carroll, Pat Picchi, Patty Keedy, Carolyn Johnson, Connie Kenyon, Alvira Belomo, Bobbi Dolan, Sandy VanHouten, Tish Maslack, Anna White, Jody Barrows, Marie Fish, Sally Burke, Judy Yoxheimer, Tedi Harrington, Judy Barry, Mary Lou Dunlap, Paula Ames, Judy Kearns, Mary Anne Towne, Judy Sanderson, Joy Rowe, Maureen White, Teresa Dalto, Pat Fryzell, and Ethel Hadaway.

The pianist for the show was Janet Walker, and the student directors were Mickey Jackson, and Virginia Worden. Mr. Chandler Mosher was the faculty advisor. Their help was greatly appreciated.

LOOKING AT STYLES

with Kathy

Now that the Holiday Season is quickly approaching, one begins to think of twinkling lights, the tangy smell of evergreen, mingled with the silent falling snow. The season also brings hushed conversations and gayly wrapped gifts in all imaginable shapes.

When shopping for your favorite female there are a few things to have in mind—Keep the gift along the very feminine line. A woman likes always to be thought of as a woman. The gift must suit the personality. If your woman is petite and dainty, a frilly blouse, soft sweater or sweet smelling perfume would fit the occasion. If she is active, a leather belt with monogram, a wide gold circle bracelet and pin to match or a smart suede handbag would always be appropriate.

Always buy a useful gift—why waste your money on a gift you know the receiver will never use. It is best to give each gift you buy careful consideration. If you are completely in the dark as what to purchase, keep a sharp ear out for expressed wants and desires. It usually works!!!

Remember, the gift is a part of the giver!

Holiday Mail

Have personal mail addressed to your home in order to avoid the necessity for forwarding.

Following are some Holiday addresses:

Calvin F. Grass
2580 Putnam, Apt. A
River Road Housing
The Ohio State University
Columbus, Ohio

Alden J. Carr
1010 Baker Street
Sequin, Texas

Dominick A. Taddonio
16002 Oak Drive
Livonia, Michigan

Luella Clary
363 South Willard Street
Burlington, Vermont

The SPARTAN Staff

wishes everyone a

Merry Christmas

and a

Happy New Year

Odds And Ends

by Pat Picchi

Congratulations to all the fellows who caught deer this season. Four-legged ones, that is. . . .

Ellis Hall "Open House" turned out to be very successful. It was held Sunday, November 22. The faculty and students were served refreshments, and tours around the dorm were given. The girls' rooms really looked nice and picked up, too, hey, girls???

All who came had a wonderful time and are really looking forward to another Ellis Hall "Open House."

Monday, November 23, at 3:30 some of the girls from Ellis Hall had an intramural volleyball game with the team that played Green Mountain.

Nan Fowler is the captain of that team and Tish Maslack is the captain of the Ellis Hall girls. If opinion is favorable, more games will be scheduled in the future.

Every Saturday night C.T.C. sends out a bus to Rutland for those who are interested in bowling or in taking in a movie. Anyone interested in going is surely welcome. The more the merrier. . . .

Tom Ranney is in charge of a new club started at C.T.C. this year. It is called the Gym Club and it meets every Friday night from 7 to 10. He will help and encourage anyone interested in the club.

Everyone is welcome to join.

Lyndon Teachers Host To College Press

by Bill Foley

The Fifth Annual Press Conference was held at Lyndon Teachers College, Thursday, November 12th, 1959. Those attending from Castleton were Larry Cook, Editor; Steve Squeglia, Associate Layout Editor; Dick Burke, Associate Editor; Sam Carrara, Frank Vara, Lorna Smith, Jean Longley and Bill Foley, accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Hale, Advisor of "The Spartan."

The opening conference was held in Bole Hall under the chairmanship of Hazel Anderson, Assistant Editor of the "Lyn News."

Next there was an address given by Mr. Gordon Mills, Editor of the "Burlington Free Press" on "Editing Today's Newspaper," followed by a discussion under the direction of Mr. Mills.

The last conference was divided into three topics: Sports, News and Features. These were discussion groups under the direction of two faculty members from Lyndon and Mr. Carl Gordon, Executive Secretary of the NVDA.

Sports Day

On Saturday, December 5, 1959, a group of girls from the Athletic Department of Castleton Teachers College traveled to Burlington, Vermont to take part in the Sports Day activities at the University of Vermont. They participated in events such as bowling, badminton, volley ball, and bridge.

The girls that entered the volley ball contest were Nancy Sawyer, Nan Fowler, Jane Jennings, Marie Fiske, Kathy Macia, and Martha Anne Moxley. Marilyn Spencer, Gloria Weaver, Pat Agulia, and Ruth Bartholomew participated in the bowling games. Badminton was played by Tish Maslack and Judy Yoxheimer. Miss Ewald was the faculty advisor.

Other colleges that participated in Sports Day were the University of Vermont, Middlebury, and Plattsburg Teachers College. With so many girls participating, it gave them an opportunity for intense competition in the various sports, as well as it afforded them a chance to meet and socialize with girls of their own age from other colleges.

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cheating in an exam that you had just given. There's an old saying, "practice what you preach." And soon you will all be standing in front of a classroom, you will be their model of everything that is good in a child's eye, and it is through these four years of college that you will have ample opportunity to practice what soon you will be preaching."

STUDENT TEACHING

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that you will have a better opportunity to prepare for an outstanding job.

During this lapse of time you may be asking yourself such questions as: "How can I improve my methods?"; "How may I improve my materials collection?"; or you may want to think of ideas of how to apply techniques most effectively. You are also given the opportunity to collect much more Audio Visual materials for the classroom use.

Needless to say, if you are doing fifteen weeks in one stretch, you do not have this opportunity and you are apt to get the feeling that you are being pushed from one experience right into another without the chance to stop and look back over the student teaching just completed. I might add that the student teacher spends many long hours in preparation of plans which results in mental and physical strain, and you certainly cannot work to your capacity if you are under a continuous pressure. Thus presenting one more reason why it

Varsity Club

by Sam Carrara

A Varsity Lettermen's Club has been organized by the athletes of Castleton Teachers College under the supervision of the Men's Athletic Director, Coach Terry. The purpose of this club is to encourage more men to participate in the various sports offered by the school as well as to raise the level of the lettermen at Castleton.

Before this time the students who earned a letter were not organized and therefore were never noticed. With the coming of the Varsity Club the lettermen will be noticed as they are setting up constitutions and laws enabling them to have some say in student affairs. They are also establishing their own jackets, sweaters and blazers with a symbol on each of these enabling the student body to recognize them as a member of the Varsity Club. The Varsity Club is also trying to sponsor other events that will elevate the athlete.

The Varsity Club had its first meeting on November 2nd with 26 lettermen attending. They voted on temporary officers. Elected were Ed Fabian, President; Mike Barslow, Vice President; and Bob Pedro, Secretary-Treasurer.

The idea of a constitution was also brought up and George Bergin, Lee Carter and Knowlton Utley were nominated to draw it up.

All lettermen who have not yet joined the club are cordially invited to the meetings.

W A A News

by Sheila Rae Poole

Girls' basketball practice began Monday, November 30, 1959 at 3:30 in the new gym. The Women's Athletic Association is making plans for basketball games with Johnson Teachers College, Lyndon Teachers College, Middlebury and Green Mountain College. Dick Ingalls will coach the team this year. Let's see a lot more girls out for basketball this year.

Wednesday, December 2, 1959 at 7:30 p.m. there was a Basketball clinic which was held at the new gym. Area high school girls were invited. Miss Mary Hicks, a Middlebury College instructor was in charge. This was a fine opportunity for the girls on campus to officiate and play.

is advisable to have the student teaching periods divided as they are now.

If there are any underclassmen who are considering such a program of student teaching fifteen weeks all in one semester, I would strongly advise them to weigh both methods carefully before making a decision.

Basketball

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Prospects for Varsity and Junior Varsity Basketball have improved since the first week of practice with many new candidates turning out. The Varsity team lacks height but has the speed and experience to produce a good team for this year.

Coach Terry said, "New teams have been added to strengthen the competition such as New Bedford Tech and Siena. Playing these teams will help Castleton to be more noticeable to the public." The Varsity's offense will be based mostly on the fast break, and deadly outside shooting. His bench reserves are very strong this year which should be a big factor in many games.

When asked how the team will do this year, Coach Terry had no specific comment but said something about making the tournament.

The J.V. squad under the watchful eyes of Coach Dick Ingalls have shown steady improvement with both height and speed. Also the J.V. competition has increased with the playing of Middlebury and Norwich Freshmen and also Siena's J.V.

When asked how the J.V. team would do, Coach Ingalls replied, "The team will be tough to beat."

I think both teams should be supported to the fullest, and may everyone be to a few of the games and cheer loud.

The schedule of home games is as follows:

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| Dec. 11 | New Bedford Tech |
| 12 | Johnson Teachers College |
| 14 | North Adams Teachers College |
| Jan. 5 | Gorham Teachers College |
| 15 | Siena College |
| 16 | New England College |
| 20 | Plymouth Teachers College |
| Feb. 12 | Lyndon Teachers College |
| 17 | Albany College of Pharmacy |

Across The Campus

Congratulations for a fine win over Sir George Williams College of Montreal—Keep up the fine work, boys.

A trio of Ellis Hall girls traveled to Dartmouth last weekend—I hope you girls had a good time.

Last weekend seemed to be party weekend. Did everyone have a good time???

The "STAR THEATRE" in Fair Haven holds some attraction for a few guys on campus . . . could it be "Octo"?

"Have you got a job during Christmas vacation?" seems to be a familiar question on campus these days.

Many favorable comments were heard about the St. Michael's Glee Club concert that was held here last Thursday night. I sure hope we can have them back next year.

Frosh Elect Class Officers

Ed Fregosi, better known as "Honker," will now be addressed as Mr. President. You see, Honker was elected head of the Freshman class.

He is from Proctor, Vermont and is interested in sports, particularly soccer. His major is physical education and he would like to teach Junior high school.

The class secretary, Pat Aguglia, lives in Rochester, New York. Here at Castleton, Pat is a J.V. Cheerleader. One of her favorite past times is cutting hair. Pat is majoring in elementary education and prefers second or third grade teaching.

Bob Ward, treasurer of the class, comes from Fort Edward, New York. Bob is active in J.V. basketball and Glee Club, but claims girls are his favorite activity. Bob is majoring in Math and Science and prefers junior high teaching.

North Attleboro, Mass. is the hometown of Delegate-at-large Bill Skitt. Bill is interested in sports, but agrees with Bob that girls are his favorite activity. He is majoring in Social Studies and would like to teach in Junior High.

There has been a tie for Vice-President between Joyce Heath of Fair Haven, Vt. and Bonnie Thorburn of Quincy, Mass. Both girls are Varsity cheerleaders. An election will be held to determine the winner.

Chairmen Elected

Mary Jane Madigan, a sophomore from Proctor, Vermont and Frank Vara, a senior from South Hanson, Mass., were recently elected co-chairmen for the forthcoming Winter Carnival which will be held in February.

A committee of three were elected to hire an orchestra and they were Janet Walker, a sophomore from Brattleboro, Vermont; Mike Collins, a junior from Rutland and Skip Curtis, a senior from Bethel, Vermont.

The decoration chairman is Mary Ann Hunter, a sophomore from Berkeley Heights, New Jersey. Betty O'Brien, a senior from Orwell, was elected the head of Invitations and Flowers.

Don Goodell, a sophomore from Springfield, Vermont, will be Clean-Up chairman and Beulah Lanpher, a senior from Rochester, will be head of the refreshments.

This is one of Castleton's biggest weekends with such activities as a Jazz concert, a snow sculpturing contest, intramural sports for all, an outing at Lake Bomoseen, a Ski Boot Banquet, coronation of King and Queen and of course, to climax the weekend's festivities, the formal.

It is hoped that everyone will pitch in and if you do, we can be sure of a great weekend.



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MISS MARKHAM RETIRES

Nurses Training Courses Proposed

by Dick Burke

In the past few weeks, exhaustive efforts have been made to establish a Nurses' Training Course at Castleton Teachers College. This campaign has the support of many important people and organizations, including the Rutland Chamber of Commerce, the Rutland Hospital, the Rutland Board of Aldermen, several State Senators and many of the Rutland County Representatives.

The proposed program has been carefully planned by Dr. Dundas so that it will not be of detriment to any phase of our own college curriculum. In fact, the nursing program will be of value to the college, and could have a great deal of influence on its future development.

To install a Nurses' Training Program at Castleton would be no physical tax on the college plant. At present, we are only using about two-thirds of the classroom space available. With this program, we would merely be using our present facilities more extensively. Also, a considerable amount of their work would be done in the Rutland Hospital. The girls would commute from Rutland, thus eliminating any housing problem.

This addition would require several new faculty members, as well as new courses. The student nurses would be able to take some of our courses as electives, and we would be free to include some of their courses in our elective program. These additions would also help Castleton attain accreditation.

Probably the most important problem is the financial plan that accompanies this proposal. Both the Teachers College and the Nursing School would be run under separate budgets. The advantage is that these budgets can be made to work together, therefore offering the students of both schools advantages that would otherwise be impossible.

The reasons for the enthusiastic attitude shown by the supporters of the program are the apparent need for more nurses in Vermont, the present

Emilie Jacobson Speaks At CTC Assembly

Emilie Jacobson, noted lecturer, actress, and journalist, spoke before an assembly of Castleton Teachers College students and faculty yesterday. Born against the colorful background of Manchester, England, the meeting place of famous people, Mrs. Jacobson is a widely traveled writer and observer.

Mrs. Jacobson attended the Owens School of Dramatics in Manchester and from there proceeded to become quite active in the theatre.

Being widely traveled, Mrs. Jacobson spent several years in Italy, where she contributed a regular series of articles to the English press on the daily life and people in the great cities of that country. From these experiences and the current travels, she gleams many of the anecdotes which garnish her captivating talks.

Although it is difficult to classify this versatile and generous person, many delight in the appellation given her in New York, where she has been dubbed "The Little Lady with the Big Personality."

In her speech before CTC students—"Educators—How's Your Sense of Humor?" Mrs. Jacobson states that a good educator must have a sense of humor and not take a grim view of everything that goes on in life as well as the classroom. Plus this he must possess certain attributes of a lion tamer.

lack of that type of training in this area, and the stimulated interest in nursing by numerous girls in Rutland County. The new and modern facilities available at the Rutland Hospital also makes Castleton Teachers College an attractive prospect for such a program.

The biggest problem that faces the supporters of this plan is trying to get it through the Legislature. Campaigners for the proposition have drafted the support of numerous town representatives in Rutland County. However, when the bill is finally presented to the legislators, the strength of the campaign will be determined.

If this Nurses' Training Center at Castleton becomes a reality, Central Vermont will have made a significant gain in its bid for more opportunities through higher education.

by Frank Vara

After thirty-five years of devoted service at Castleton Teachers College, Miss Mary Markham will retire on February 1. Miss Markham first came to this area as a Music Supervisor in the Castleton-Fair Haven School District. Dr. Caroline Woodruff, who was then Principal of the Castleton Normal School, immediately engaged the services of Miss Markham on a part-time basis, and she has remained ever since.

Miss Markham attended the Thomas Normal School in Detroit, Michigan and received her Bachelor of Science and Master's Degrees in Education from Boston University where she specialized in Music Education.

The Brothers' Cavicchio Entertain

by Betty O'Brien

"Entertainment in Music" was the theme of the program presented by the Cavicchio Brothers on January 7th.

Following a brief introduction, Salvy, playing the marimba, accompanied by his brother Danny on the piano and the accordion. They proceeded to delight the audience with "their" kind of entertainment.

Salvy Cavicchio has appeared on major network radio programs, originating in Boston for many years. He has recorded for Victor Records and has personally conducted his own musical group at the Terrace and the Cafe Rouge at the Hotel Statler in Boston.

Program features included an extensive repertoire of popular and classical music. Special features included the newly formed band of CTC playing, in perfect harmony, "the Blue Bells of Scotland" and "The Bells of Saint Marys." When the ovation had died down it was request time with such favorites as "Autumn Leaves," "South Pacific," and "Oklahoma!" being played.

An added attraction of the evening was the new rendition of "Pop Goes the Weasel," several new members of the band were thus added.

Upon leaving the stage for the first time a tremendous round of applause was heard and the Brothers Cavicchio returned for a second and third time to entertain the appreciative audience.

This marks the fourth year appearance of the Brothers and we sure it will not be the last.



MISS MARKHAM

All who know Miss Markham term her as a woman overflowing with cordiality, sympathy and the wholesomeness of human interest which can rise only from the heart of one who truly loves her fellow man. Her keen sense of humor, admired by all, brought even the dullest composer to life.

Through the years the College has enjoyed many programs under the skilled leadership of Miss Markham—musicals, operettas, glee club presentations, Christmas Cantatas. Graduates will long remember "Pinafore," the "Pirates of Penzance," the opera trips to Boston. In 1939-40 she was president of the Castleton Conference. During the accelerated program of the war years, she was also a supervisor of student teaching. She has always taken an important part in community affairs and is a member of the Woman's Club. One of her greatest accomplishments

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Editorial

What The New Year Brings

As the new year begins, many changes have been made here at Castleton.

One of the biggest topics is the proposed Nurses' Training Program which is supposed to start in September. We have heard many favorable comments on this subject, and we think it will be very beneficial to the college. This will certainly add to Castleton's reputation as being a college that is progressing.

Another topic of interest is the new substitute dietician Mr. Tom Smith, who is supervising the kitchen while Miss Martha Campbell is in the Rutland Hospital where she has been for several weeks.

At the end of the semester, Miss Mary Markham will retire from teaching. Miss Markham will always be remembered for the fine job she has done with the Glee Club and the Operettas she has produced. The students who have had her in class and the other students who haven't had her will always remember her wit and personality. We all wish her the best of luck and the best of health.

Exams will soon be here, that is one topic that will never change, but let's face it, we're not alone—many other college and university students are facing the same problem. The only way to meet this situation is to **Study Hard.**

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A Room Of Happy Faces



Here are some of the 35 children at Caverly Preventorium in Pittsford opening Christmas Gifts that CTC students gave.

CTC Gifts Brighten Preventorium Christmas

It was with smiling faces and exclamations of joy that the 35 children at the Caverly Preventorium in Pittsford received Christmas gifts from the students here at Castleton. For these children the Christmas season held just a little more excitement and gladness to know that others were interested in brightening their holidays. A great many Christmas letters to Santa were answered through these gifts, a toy airplane for an aspiring young pilot, a gun and holster set for a little cowboy, and a coloring book and crayons for an artistic young lady were but a few Christmas wishes to come true.

All of the on-campus students and commuters donated gifts until the little tree set in Woodruff Hall seemed lost amid the bright Christmas wrappings and presents. Everyone took the project to heart and did an excellent job of making a good Christmas for the Preventorium children. This is the second year that this project has been carried out by CTC students under the sponsorship of the College Student Christian Association. This year's project chairman was Judy Kearns, assisted by Polly Ames, Martha Moxley, Anna White, and Knowlton Utley who helped in distributing the gifts.

The Superintendent of the Preventorium, Ethel M. Bennett, expressed her heartfelt appreciation for the thoughtfulness of the students at Castleton in remembering the children this Christmas time, and for their interest in them.

This project is one in which CTC can

justly be proud, and Christmas had more meaning for us here at Castleton this year, knowing that in some way we had brightened the greatest of all seasons for children who couldn't be at home for Christmas.

LOOKING AT STYLES

with Kathy

Great fashions never stale, clothes with star quality don't lose it. In 1960 the glow will be seen, not for miles, but for years. Obviously then, when clothes have a down-in-history complex, it's no trick to get in on the honorable mentions. Clothes are in a word—wearable; as well as that old standby—glamorous. This brings us to fashion news marked personal. For the girl who's decided to be a beauty... 1960 is the year. To postpone beauty til another millenium would be like looking for a brooklet to swim in, when the ocean's only a step away.

They're disarming, the clothes starting off the decade. You couldn't ask for softer tailoring. More realistic waistlines haven't happened in years. Self deception comes in when you forget that there are two sides to every look... the fashion and how you wear it.

For instance it will be perfectly clear to nearly everyone that a pale suit and a pale striped shirt is a look that has to be acquired instantly. But the choice of suit shapes is up to you. The business of putting a pale check or plaid with a striped shirt doesn't take genius, but there's a knack you must catch... scaling the suit's pattern and the shirt's stripes in keeping. Remember this, when picking your best fashions for 1960.

Odds And Ends

by Pat Picchi

The entire student body of CTC held a Mass for Steve Squeglia's father last Tuesday morning. Also, the Junior class held a mass on Saturday morning. Everyone was sorry to hear of Steve's father's death, and we all want to express our deepest sympathy.

Everyone is really pleased with our new dietitian. He is doing a wonderful job and is making the meals both appetizing and pleasing to the eye. And haven't you noticed how crowded the lunch room has been lately???

The Caviechio Brothers, the marimba players, performed here last Thursday night. They played such wonderful music and they even came back for two encores.

They were well accepted and everyone enjoyed them very much. Especially when they played, "The William Tell Overture." Everyone yelled "Hi Ho Silver!"

The gym club, started by Tom Ranney, has been very successful. It is held at night from 7 until 10, and the nights are Mondays and Wednesdays. All types of gym equipment are available and Tom will gladly help anyone who wants any.

GIRLS ATTENTION!!! 100, yes I said 100 boys came last Friday night from Sienna College. They all attended the game and the dance that followed afterwards. There was a sign up sheet in the rec room for any girl that was interested in going out with one of those boys. And they all remembered it was leap year!!!

Behind Ellis Hall there is a place for ice skating. It has been flooded twice and when it is done again it will be good for ice skating. So if anyone wants to have some fun and enjoys outdoor sports, ice skating fills the bill.

Dean Black was one of the members of the faculty that traveled during Christmas vacation. She went to Rhode Island and, I am sure, that she had as wonderful a stay as well as an enjoyable holiday.

Miss Hale also traveled on her Christmas vacation. She went to Athol Mass. and we all hope that she had a wonderful Christmas and that she has a Happy New Year.

Rumor around school is that Larry Cook and Steve Squeglia are trying to start a fraternity. These boys are looking into the matter now, and if anything develops, I am sure they would be glad to let everyone know about it.

Our girls' volleyball team went to Middlebury, Saturday, January 9, to have some volleyball games with girls from Middlebury, Colby Jr., and U.V.M.

They all played wonderful matches and our girls won two out of three matches. Congratulations, girls!!!

Spartan Sparklers

by Jeanne Longley

As you all here at Castleton know that our college is growing academically and socially as well. Now a new phase of education is being added—A Nurses' Training Program. This will be entirely new to all of us, and we all hope it turns out for the best and will better the name of Castleton Teachers College. Listed below are comments on the subject:

Bobbie McGlaflin and Lynn Brooks: "We feel that it is a good idea—perhaps it will be aid to accreditation."

Sally Roggman: "It means that we will grow and expand. We should get more money from the state."

Jay Marcoux: "I can't see where it would really be possible, seeing we have just about enough facilities and staff for our own educational needs."

Ron Hasseltine: "I think it is a step in the right direction. This could be the shot in the arm that this college needs. With a little aid from the right place, this could lead us right to accreditation."

Sandy Garron: "Castleton may profit from this training program, if it calls for the expansion of the school facilities, but will this program provide enough nurses' training in a two-year period as it would in a three-year period—may pose a question."

Tom Lazetera: "I think it would be a very good idea. Accreditation would probably come through quicker—also Bob U. might be able to get a date."

Maureen Sullivan: "I think it will be a good thing if they have a place to train with the proper facilities. I understand that their academic training will not be as long as it would be at Mary Fletcher or some other hospital. If the program is properly worked out, I think it will be a credit to the college."

Art DeLorenzo: "It would be a good idea because the school would have a better chance for accreditation and also Laz may get himself a girl."

Jeanne Longley: "These are just a few of the students' opinions on the subject of Nurses' Training Course here. Now let's all get behind this and welcome it, because after all we want Castleton to grow and expand and especially to get our college on the map as being accredited."

MISS MARKHAM RETIRES

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ments was introducing the student body to the benefits of the Community Concerts held annually at Rutland.

To you, Miss Markham, we say, "Thank you"—Thank you for sharing your knowledge and leading us so patiently. Thank you for assisting in

Campus Personality



BETTY O'BRIEN
PUBLICITY CHAIRMAN

by Marilyn Daniels

Energetic, helpful and happy, certainly describe our campus personality of this issue. And, this "barrel of fun 'gal'" is Betty "Abby" O'Brien, whom most of us are acquainted with by now.

Betty came to CTC after graduating from Brandon High School, in Brandon, Vermont, where she was active as a member of her class and school as well. Orwell, Vermont is Betty's home town.

Our worthy Publicity Chairman, Betty is working towards the best for CTC, with assistance from our student body.

Betty's favorite color is blue. She heartily enjoys steak, but dislikes "Popeye's" spinach. A good sportsman, favoring basketball, she equally enjoys playing soccer, softball, skating, volleyball, and badminton. Her hobby is painting, and for a contrast, Betty paints as a pastime????!!

Betty is majoring in Math, with Social Studies as her minor. She chooses Math, of course, as her most enjoyable subject, but feels she could get by without any Psychology.

Considering school spirit, Betty says, "School spirit has been building up, but we would appreciate any suggestions about any events that have occurred, as this would help make our college known to more people."

Future plans for Betty include a desire to teach in Junior High School, with obtaining a Master's as her goal. We are all sure you will succeed, Betty.

preparing us for the teaching profession. Thank you for your inspirational stimulus. Above all, thank you for being a friend.

On behalf of the College Administration, the Faculty and Staff, the Student Body and the many Alumni you have trained, we wish you the very best of health and happiness.

Across The Campus

Did you see those snappy new uniforms the J.V. cheerleaders are wearing? They look great, girls.

How do the Morrill House boys like having their breakfast cooked and served by 4 Ellis Hall girls—almost like home, no?

Picchi and Judy wish to thank Nancy, Sandy and Bonnie for leaving the dorm Sunday afternoon. It was so quiet that the two girls finally caught up on their sleep.

Congratulations to Shirley Waite and Marilyn Johnson who received their diamonds for Christmas. We all wish you much success in the future. Also, our best wishes go out to Pat Picchi, Bobbie Dolan, and Pat Fryzell who are now the proud owners of hope chests.

"Did anyone see the hand?" seems to be a familiar cry heard around campus these days and by the sound of some of the girls I would say that they did.

Shower, anyone? Sandy seems to think that everyone needs one after they retire. Just remember, you're next, Sandy.

We are all glad to learn that Dick Burke and Sam Carrara are not being forced to move off campus.

Gloria, is it true that you are a grandmother?

We see that Sara Farnum and Joan Handley are pretty well occupied lately and we are wondering what Don and Jerry have to do with this!!!

It seems that Tom Ranney spent his Christmas vacation in Florida and so did Tisa Miley. Where are those tans, kids???

Others who did some traveling were Linda Clough who visited relatives in Boston, Marie Bell and Joeko Dailey who went to Boston to see Cinerama, and John Sabo who visited friends. We heard that the latter of these took a detour and ended up in a few snowbanks. Is that right, John?

Larry Barber also took a trip—to White Plains, New York. We wonder whom he went to see.

Jerry Lentini spent a week in Springfield, Vermont visiting Mickey Jackson. What were all those trips to Chester for, boys, and what happened??? We thought you were going to Burlington too.

Many of the students went skiing during Christmas vacation. We are glad that there were no broken legs or arms even though Mary Ellen did hit herself in the eye.

It's in Vogue!!! That is what Evie says anyhow, and it may well be. We are referring to wearing black leotards with heels to Sunday dinner. Did you keep warm, Patti and Maryanne???

Mrs. Thompson, since when is the faculty privileged. We hope that those cookies tasted good!

We heard that Judy Yoxtheimer stumbled into a surprise birthday party that was being held for her Friday night. It seems that it was almost a month late and during that time she had gotten a year older. How much tinfoil did you tear, Judy?

Good luck to Ron, Frenchy, Roland and Paul in their apartment next semester. We hope you won't be disturbed by night prowlers.

First floor will never be the same again at Ellis Hall now that Pat Fryzell has moved out and is commuting. We are all sorry to see you leave us, Pat.

Carol Litster has joined the third floor ranks at Ellis Hall and we are all glad to welcome you, Carol.

Pat, we heard that George is going to be visited at Texas Towers by some nurses. Is that right?

It seems that the girls' basketball team ended their game with Lyndon with quite a few bruises. We hope that you will all be on your feet again by the next game. And along the same line, how many foul shots did you make at practice, Judy?

Congratulations to Howie Saunders who has been moved up from the J.V. team to the Varsity team. We wish you luck, Howie.

Did Yardy, Fabian and Skip have fun cleaning Ellis Hall during vacation? Anything missing, girls???

We heard that Jeanne Longley had a guest at her home for a week during Christmas vacation. Was it SKIP, Jeanne???

Paula, what did we hear about six boys? Some people have all the luck!

Judy S. is it true that you are engaged? We all want to know the TRUTH about it.

Sandy, your daydreams are wonderful. (She took a fictitious trip to Europe that way) and your practical jokes are even better. The last one left Judy hanging on a door which started swinging back and forth. Did you have a nice ride, Judy?

What were you doing on the bus on the way back from Rutland Saturday night, Cookie???

Gilda, did you and Lewis shoot any rats this weekend?

There seems to be a new student at Morrill House by the name of "Teddy." Frank, do you have any idea who this could be???

Tom Ranney really enjoyed Florida during Christmas vacation. He certainly wishes he was back down there.

Warfare is being held in Morrill House these days, the water pistol business is really blooming at Ballard's.

"What will you give me for this belt"—"What will you trade for this radio?"—those are familiar cries at Morrill House these days. By the way, John Taft has a radio to sell or trade if any one is interested.

Go, Van Gogh

Taken from the SHRDLU,
N. Y. School of Printing

Had Vincent Van Gogh seen some of the abstract art that comes out of Greenwich Village these days, you may be sure that he would have committed suicide long before 1890.

If there are any of my gentle readers who would like to know how to create a Greenwich Village "mess-terpiece," they need only follow these simple instructions and they will have their answer.

Creating a Mess-terpiece in Eight Easy Steps:

1. Squeeze the contents of three large tubes of oil paint red, yellow and blue—into a galvanized bucket.
2. Add a drop of Grandpappy's corn likker and a touch of Ole Redeye.
3. Stir with an acid-proof Manhattan mixer until the mixture has been substantially thinned.
4. Stand in front of a canvas with the bucket swinging freely on the index finger of your left hand.
5. Face away from the canvas and say "Beatnik" three times.
6. Toss the entire load of the bucket over right shoulder in the direction of the canvas.
7. Turn the painting upside down or sideways. (Optional)
8. Give it a name (preferably "Despair").

Presto magnifico! A beautiful mess-terpiece! If you have connections, a painting of this kind might be worth as much as fifty dollars to you. It is amazing how many messterpieces are actually purchased every day (especially in Hepsville, New York) I can picture the smile that is flitting across Van Gogh's cold face now. He is thinking, "How lucky I am not to be able to see those provocative smears that are called works of Art!"

Across The Campus

LEAVENWORTH DORM NEWS

All the Leavenworth girls were sad to hear that Nancy Sawyer has left school. We wish her the best of luck in whatever she does.

Watch out, girls!!! The "Tingler" may be in your room!!! Huh, Idabelle and Mary Ann?

Mrs. Patterson will be rooming in Leavenworth, room 30, starting January 11, 1960.

Leavenworth girls had a late Christmas party last Monday night. Food was supplied by Mrs. Condon and the girls. A good time was had by all.

We all want to thank Mrs. Hill for chaperoning our recent bus trip to Rutland.

Connie Kenyon and Pat Boucher spent this past weekend at Elvira Bellomo's in Rutland. How were the dates, girls???

W A A News

by Sheila Poole

The first game of the season for the girls' basketball team was played against Lyndon Teachers College, with Lyndon team downing the Castleton girls' team 81-58.

Starting Lineup for Castleton

Tish Maslack—Right forward

Ella O'Bryan—Left forward

Sheila Poole—(captain) Center forward

Mary Jane Madigan—Center guard

Cindy Murray—Right guard

Marlene Booth—Left guard

High scorer for Castleton was Ella O'Brien who poured in a neat 37 points. Sheila Poole scored 18 points and Tish Maslack scored 3 points.

Saturday the Castleton Volleyball team traveled to Middlebury for a volleyball Sports Day, coached by Miss Edith Ewald. The girls won two games and lost one game at the Sports Day. The following girls participated for Castleton:

Judy Yoxtheimer

Tish Maslack

Nan Fowler

Cathy Macia

Martha Moxley

Sue Kinery

Betty O'Brien

Back To Back

Taken from SHRDLU,
N. Y. School of Printing

Many writers have tried to visualize the expression that might appear on the faces of the great composers of classical music upon being confronted with jazz for the first time.

Most writers see a look of negativity, denial, protest and retraction in the expressions. I do not.

If jazz were piped into the resting place of Johann Sebastian Bach, I believe that his bones would begin to move, his soul would be temporarily joined with warm flesh, and he would keep time with the beat by snapping his weary fingers and tapping the side of his majestic sarcophagus. When the music had ceased, he would return to his fixed state with an eternal smile of thanks, appreciation and plain gladness.

How happy he would be to hear music once again! How he would appreciate finding out that music is still alive and being composed! Oh, it doesn't matter what it is called—classical or jazz or rock 'n' roll—or how it sounds. Bach realizes that music must under-go change as well as anything else.

Ah, how happy he is that the world never tired of music. He can now rest peacefully and eternally.

Men's Sports

by Sam Carrara

The Spartans of Castleton Teachers College officially opened their 1959-1960 basketball season on December 5th in Montreal against the Canadians of Sir George Williams Teachers College. The first proved a success as the Spartans knocked off their opponents by a score of 57-50. Castleton's speed and over-whelming ball handling seemed to overpower Sir George Williams.

Outstanding on offense were Lee Carter with 17 points and Jerry Toomey with 15 points. The big men on the boards for Castleton were Bob Iusi and Ed Fabian.

On December 9th the Spartans traveled to Keene, New Hampshire to play their first league game against Keene Teachers College. Castleton was leading until mid-way through the last half when Keene suddenly exploded and went ahead and finally won on their last half spurt by the score of 87-73.

Castleton also had its share of offensive punch with four men hitting double digits. These men were Lee Carter, Ed Fabian, Bob Iusi and Jerry Toomey. This close decision now left the Terrymen with a record of 1-1 on the season.

On December 11th, Castleton played on their new court for the first time against a much stronger New Bedford Tech "five." New Bedford's strength was shown throughout the game as they won easily by the score of 90-79. The difference in this game was a pair of New Bedford backcourt men who seemed to take over the game on their behind-the-back passing, fancy dribbling and deadly shooting.

Castleton also had its share of scoring punch led by Big Bob Iusi who had his best night with 19 points, Jerry Toomey with 18 points and Bob Pedro with 11 points.

The next night, December 12th, the Spartans played host to Johnson Teachers College, another Vermont rival. The home fans weren't disappointed in this game as they saw Castleton squeak out a 67-65 win over Johnson. Castleton led throughout the first three quarters by a wide margin, but the visitors crept up during the last quarter until they had tied the score. With ten seconds left to go, Lee Carter dropped in two foul shots to give the Spartans a thrilling two point victory.

SKI CLUB STARTS

The first meeting of the Ski Club for the 1960 season was held Thursday, January 7th.

The purpose of the meeting was for the election of new officers, and to make temporary plans for the year.

The following are the new officers of the Ski Club.

Again one of the leaders in the scoring column was Jerry Toomey, a Freshman with 15 points followed by Ed Fabian with 13 points.

On December 14th Castleton upset North Adams Teachers College by an impressive score of 76-65. Against this North Adams team, who came into the game with a four and one record in the league, the Spartans played a championship brand of ball. They outscored and out-rebounded a much faster and taller team showing that the Terrymen do have the potential to go all of the way in the league.

The game as a whole was a team effort, but there were a few leaders such as Lee Carter with 26 points, Jerry Toomey with 17 points and big Bob Iusi with 10 points and the majority of the rebounds. Ed Fabian and Bob Pedro also helped the cause. This now leaves the Green and White of Castleton with a record of two wins and one loss in the Conference.

The Spartans first scheduled games after the Christmas vacation were played on a two day trip in Maine. This trip was partly a success as the Terrymen whipped the Beavers of Farmington Teachers College on January 8th by a score of 72-66. The Spartans played good ball considering the loss of their Co-Captain Ed Fabian and the long, tiring trip. Once more, Lee Carter, a senior, led the offense with 21 points scoring whenever Castleton needed a quick two points. Behind him in the scoring column were Jerry Toomey with 17 points, Bob Iusi with 14 points, and a newcomer who just broke into the first five, George "Joeko" Daley with 12 points.

The next afternoon they played the second of the two game series in Maine against Gorham Teachers College. Gorham proved to be the stronger of the two clubs by far as they seemed to score with the fast break at will. Their defense which was the 1-3-1 worked very effectively as they stopped the Terrymen by a score of 96-77.

There was one bright spot in the Castleton line-up although, as Lee Carter pumped in 31 points which was more than any other player has done this year in a single game. Other players hitting double digits were Bob Iusi with 16 points and Jerry Toomey with 13. This now leaves Castleton with a record of four wins and two losses.

President—Bob Ward, "63"
Vice President—Dick Synrski, "61"
Secretary-Treasurer—Tony Citro, "60"

At the present time, the club has a membership of 35 students. Any students who have not already joined are welcome. Ski or not.



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Congratulations Queen Trudy and King Gary . . .

The Coronation

by Art Benedict

Thursday night, the long-awaited Coronation of C.T.C.'s Winter Carnival King and Queen took place on the front steps of Woodruff Hall.

To the strains of that familiar music, "War March of the Priests," the royal procession, which was formed at the main gates, moved slowly up the front walk of the campus. The procession was led by the two crown bearers, Marjorie Dundas and Matthew Onion. Each bearer carried the royal silver crowns on red satin pillows. Following the crown bearers were the class representatives—seniors, Betty O'Brien and Bertram Coolidge; juniors, Donna Harvey and Dorwin Stoddard; Sophomores, Kathy Hale and Al Blastos; freshmen, Virginia Zielinski and Bill Foley. Next in line were the immediate court members, and last of all, the King and Queen.

Standing near the throne, which was sculptured by Don Boardman, were the crown bearers, and the court jesters, Pat Boucher and Cal Hastings.

The ceremony was climaxed when last year's king and queen, Mrs. Cynthia Eaton and Frank Vara placed the crowns on the royal couple.

The triumphal recession down Woodruff steps and the main walk of the front campus brought the ceremony to a close.

Mr. Aborn

by Frank Vara

Mr. Robert Aborn, formerly of Bloomington, Indiana has been appointed to replace Miss Markham in the Music Department. Mr. Aborn received his Bachelor of Music degree from the Oberlin College in Oberlin, Ohio; his Master of Music from Indiana University, and has only the dissertation remaining to complete his requirements for the Ph.D.

Mr. Aborn has taught at Indiana University in the music department, has given piano recitals and has had some foreign study under Louis Kentner in London, England.

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New Instructors Highlight In-Service Program

This current semester three new instructors will offer courses for the in-service program. Mr. Robert Leonard will be instructing a course in literature and Miss Helen Hall, an introductory course in geography. Miss Marcella Jackson will offer a course in art and Mr. James Studley, a course in physiology. The classes will meet for a fifteen week period. Also on Wednesday night Mr. Jack Smith will offer a course in Studio Art. Both Mr. Smith and Mr. Leonard are instructors at Green Mountain College in Poultney.

The In-Service Teaching Program at Castleton Teachers College was begun in the fall of 1946 for the purpose of supplying an opportunity for teachers to earn the credits necessary for them to renew their teaching certificate or to obtain their degree.

An In-Service student is required to complete successfully one hundred twenty semester hours. Of these not less than thirty semester hours must be completed on the Castleton campus. In order to qualify for the degree, an in-service student is required to follow a balanced and well-rounded program of studies.

Since the program was begun an average of eighty to one hundred students have taken the courses which have been offered on Saturday mornings.

Plans Underway For Eastern States

by Francis Vara

The Eastern States Association of Professional Schools for Teachers, an association of over seventy colleges, will hold its thirty-fifth annual conference at the Hotel New Yorker, New York City, on March 24, 25, and 26, 1960.

Representing Castleton will be: Freshman, Marie Goodwin; Sophomore, Sam Carrara; Junior, Evelyn Berge; Senior, Frank Vara; S.A. President, George Bergin; Delegate, Dick Burke. Miss Elizabeth Hale will

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The King and Queen and their court: Betty Paquette senior from Middlebury, Trudy Landry, a senior from Nashua, N.H. and Kathy Canney from Rutland, a senior. Gary Quinn, a senior from South Glens Falls, N. Y., George Bergin, a junior from Worthington, Mass., and Erwin Nichols, a junior from Rutland.



Winter Fantasy - 1960

The 1960 Winter Carnival is now in progress at Castleton Teachers College. Thus far, it has been the most exciting and eventful festival ever held at the college.

The program was launched on Wednesday evening, February 10, when skits were presented by each of the candidates for the king and queen of the carnival. This supports a long and eventful campaign held by the candidates and their supporters. For two weeks the students have found themselves staring at weird and colorful posters exhibiting slogans in favor of the "peoples choice."

On Thursday evening, the student body feasted at the Ski Boot Banquet where jesters ran freely around adding to the mirth of the occasion. Following the banquet, the long-awaited coronation of the king and queen surprised and delighted the students. Gary Quinn and Trudy Landry were officially crowned as king and queen of the carnival. Members of their court were Betty Paquette, George Bergin and Erwin Nichols. A jazz concert and pizza party were held in their honor in the dining hall, which was decorated to assume the appearance of a ski lodge for the evening.

Sports Day was held on Friday, under the direction of the Castleton Ski Club. This event was held in West Rutland, where classes competed against one-another in various snow and ice events. On Friday evening, the Spartans played basketball against their biggest rival—Lyndon Teachers College. Following that, a Sock Hop was held in the New Auditorium, and the students danced to the sound of Stereo.

Each dormitory has taken part in a snow sculpture, which was judged on Saturday morning by the Snow Sculpturing Committee. The results of the sculpturing varied from rockets to an object symbolic of the head of the North Wind.

On Saturday, the gala carnival will come to an end when the students dress in formal attire and attend the 1960 Winter Carnival Formal. The theme of the dance is "Winter Fantasy."

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Letters To The Editor

To the Editor of the Spartan:

There has been much discussion lately concerning the lack of school spirit here at C.T.C.

We realize that unsportsmanlike conduct is unbecoming at any college. But don't you agree that at times fans become over-excited due to loyalty to their team—as was illustrated at the C.T.C. vs. Plymouth game?

Probably the writers of this letter more than anyone else, want to see good clean spirit shown at all student functions.

This is a letter of protest because we feel we did no wrong when reprimanded at a recent basketball game. What is wrong with giving the opposition's coach a cheer?

Can you honestly see a basketball game without spectators?

Signed,
Disgruntled Fans

Editorial

At the beginning of the second semester, it is not unusual to find an editorial strongly criticizing the students for the spirit that they have shown in the various school affairs. It is the time of year that discipline among the students starts to drop, support for school activities is at an ebb—thus seriously lowering the morale of the student body.

However, this year the spirit of the students has been much better from the start. Our athletic teams have been very well supported by some of the students. This has been evidenced by the many bus trips for students on away games. Perhaps this support is one of the factors leading to the success of our soccer team.

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Frank Vara, South Hanson, Mass., '60

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Virginia Worden, West Dummerston, '62

Some of the students who have averages equal to Dean's list qualifications are not listed above due to incomplete marks or courses.

Also, everyone has taken a greater interest in the clubs, organizations, and related opportunities offered at the college. The increased membership and better developed programs are proof of this. There have been new activities added to our list of extracurricular activities this year—indicating the increased and more diversified scope of interests of the students. Consequently, this increased activity has undoubtedly lessened the need for disciplinary measures.

It is our hope that the student body will continue to show the spirit in school affairs that they have during the first semester. **KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK!**

NEW MUSIC TEACHER

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He is residing at 212 Adams Street in Rutland along with his wife, Natalie and son, Scottie.

His future plans include the continuation of the Mixed Chorus and the possible formation of other choral groups.

The Spartan Staff would like to welcome Mr. Aborn and his family to Vermont.

Campus Personality



ELAINE HOGABOOM

by Marilyn Daniels

Attractive, friendly, and congenial definitely describes our campus personality of this issue, whose name is Elaine Hogaboom. Elaine hails from Enosburg Falls, Vermont, where she attended Enosburg Falls High School. She was very active in high school, and also showed a sincere interest in her community as well.

After receiving her diploma from high school, Elaine came to C.T.C., where she continued to show an interest in her studies and leadership ability by being elected to the office she now holds as "Records Council" chairman.

Elaine is very active in many outside activities. She participates in S.C.A., shows an interest in her studies; likes such sports as ping pong, of which she was girls' champion at C.T.C. for two years; volleyball; skating; tennis; and badminton. Her favorite color is blue; her favorite foods are either Italian or Oriental.

Elaine is majoring in Elementary Teaching, and enjoys reading literature of any type. Elaine should be congratulated for the fine job she has done in her studies, having been honored on "Dean's List" twice in her Junior and Senior years.

Elaine says, "School Spirit has definitely improved from what it was in the past, and should continue to improve with the increasing enrollment at C.T.C."

Future plans for Elaine include the desire to teach Elementary grades in the Burlington, Vermont area. The proud possessor of a diamond, Elaine hopes to be the wife of "Ko" soon after graduation in June.

With your sincere efforts and abilities, Elaine, we are all sure you will succeed. Good luck to you, Elaine!

Voice Of Senate

by Bill Foley

The regular weekly meeting of the Senate was held Tuesday, February 2, in room 3 of Woodruff Hall at 1 p.m.

The first item of business was to give the Winter Carnival additional money. Frank Vara, chairman of the Winter Carnival explained to the Senate what the money was being used for. A new addition to the Carnival this year was a Jazz and Pizza Party, under the direction of Larry Cook, which was held Thursday night from 9 p.m. to 12 p.m. in the college diningroom. The motion was made by Mary Carley that we give them the extra money, it was voted on and unanimously passed.

Next was discussed the moving of the Alumni Dance from June to early in May due to the fact that many of the students go home immediately after exams and if it was moved to an earlier date more students would be able to attend the dance.

It was suggested that the Senate look over the Castleton Handbook so that the committee can begin to set up the book for the 1960-1961 edition. Any new ideas for rules for the Handbook will be discussed at the next Senate meeting.

Coming Events

- Feb. 9 North Adams Game, away
10—Middlebury JV's, away
Beginning of **Winter Carnival**
Skit Night
11—Banquet, Coronation and Ski Lodge Dance
12—Lyndon Game, home
Sock Hop
13—Formal "Winter Fantasy"
17—Albany College of Pharmacy, home
18—Junior-Cooperating Teacher Banquet
Entertainment, The "Bay-Staters"
19—Lowell, away
20—Rhode Island College of Education, away
22—IRC Speaker
24—Lyndon, away
25—Johnson, away
26—Swimming at Green Mountain College
27—Albany College of Pharmacy, away
Mar. 4—Movie, "Battle Hymn"
8—Assembly, Henry Neugebauer
14—IRC Speaker
16—Freshman Class Entertainment
26—Grades Due
29—IRC Speaker
31—31st Birthday Banquet and Entertainment

Across The Campus

Well, the Spring Semester is off to a roaring start with new faces and some old, too. We are glad to have the "grand old Seniors" back on campus. We would also like to welcome Jane Martin, Janet Gartner and Carol Skelly to the Halls of Ellis. Glad to have you with us!

Poor Elmer! (He is a Hamster, in case you are wondering.) It seems that Brooskie didn't want him to have his picture in the year book. How about it, Brooksie; didn't you know this is "be kind to animals year"?

February is time for skiing; however, Tish came back with a souvenir in the form of a broken nose. Those slopes can prove rather treacherous, can't they, Rish.

Mary Lou, what is this about a New York's upside down cup cake? Rumor has it too, that you learned to bowl.

Do you smell anything cooking? Judy was found cooking a pizza Friday night. I wonder whether it was safe to eat.

The midnight oil has been burning on second and third floors these days. It seems that everyone is making posters for our candidates for Carnival Queens. May the best girl win.

Sandy and Lona, how is Dartmouth these days. I hope you had a great time.

Ellis Hall has been honored with various guests recently. Norma (otherwise known as "Abby") Perry came for a short visit this past week. It seems she can't get enough of "Flower's" coffee. Mary Anne Lord spent the weekend with Joan Handley. I hope you enjoyed yourself. Come back again, soon.

We miss Sally Burke and Gloria Weaver in the dorm. Gloria has left school and Sally is now commuting.

Hey, "Abe", did you and Bobbi finally find anyone to play bridge? And how was the hot fruit cocktail?

If anyone finds or sees a 1947 Chevy in the middle of the road, don't pass by; STOP and help. Trudy can't get her car started. But, be careful. Suzy is a little under the weather these days.

A housemeeting was held on February 2nd at Leavenworth and it was decided to start work on the snow sculpture. It should prove interesting.

Vera, I hear you have your roommate back again. I hope the bed doesn't break for a while, girls!

Sandy, I want to know what all the banging is at 1:00 a.m. Have you been walking in your sleep, again?

Leavenworth girls were sorry to see Francis Coursey leave C.T.C. We wish you luck in whatever you do.

Uncle Sam does have a heart after all. It seems that he gave one of his "Junior Birdmen" the evening off, so he could take Cathy to Winter Carnival. Who is he, Cathy?

Castleton Extends Welcome To New Students

As the new semester started several new faces appeared on the campus. Among those are John Barth from Windsor who transferred from Springfield College, George Eddy from Rutland, Janet Gaertner from Massapequa Park, New York, who transferred from Albany State, Ruth Gaffney from Chittenden, David Hathaway from Burlington, Dave Mosher from Poultney, who transferred from UVM, Jane Martin from New York City, who graduated from Dean Junior College, Alice Powers from Whitehall, New York, Carolyn Skelly from Burlington and Marjorie LaPolt, from Comstock, New York.

A few old familiar faces also appeared on the scene and they are Shelia Colville from Fair Haven, Anne McLellan Munger from Benson, Dick Pecor from West Rutland, Don Riberdy from Rutland, and Betsey and Tom Whittemore from Rutland. A hearty hello goes out to you and it is hoped that your stay at Castleton is enjoyable.

This reporter has heard the rumor that "Running Bear" is very popular among the girls at Leavenworth. Why?

The grapevine reports that Connie has been having some very interesting fashion shows of late. Would you care to explain, Connie?

CONGRATULATIONS, GIRLS! No one has to take Zoology again next semester. All that studying pays off, doesn't it?

Leavenworth Hall men were saddened at the departure of Sid Berlin, past house president; Paul Goddette, Roland Limoge, Warren Potter, Marcel Carrier, Ron Sweet and "Sonnie" Fish, all of whom are now commuting. Also Bill Bountress and Al Blastos are now rooming at Phillip's House.

New house members include Dave Hathaway of Burlington, Dick Sanders of Rutland, and we welcome back an old house member, Louie Adams.

Due to all the moving, a new dorm election was held. Dick Burke was elected floor counselor of third floor with Jack Smiel acting as sub-counselor. Howard Saunders was once again elected floor counselor of second floor. Also in regard to other offices within the dorm, we find Sam Carrara as vice president; Gene Oliver as fire warden; Steve Dow as treasurer and Larry Barber as president.

The Leavenworth men have been given access to the basement room which most of you will remember as Bea's Snack Bar in the past. Now that Bea has moved to the rec room, we have been able to go ahead with our plans for a dorm lounge.

Juniors Begin Student Teaching

On February 29th, 1960 thirty-two Juniors will begin a six week period of student teaching in the various schools in this district. Only the Junior High section will go out then as the Elementary section will start April 18. The following students will begin February 29th: George Bergin, Hydeville, grades 7 and 8; James Byrne, Park St. School, Rutland, grade 6; Marcel Carrier, grade 4, Poultney; Lawrence Cook, grades 5 and 6, Hydeville; Mike Collins, Castleton Village, grades 7 and 8; George Daley, West Haven, grades 1-8; Bob DesLaurier, grade 5 in Poultney.

Also, Jon Emerson, grades 5 and 6 in Benson; Ed Fabian, grades 7 and 8, South School, Fair Haven; Lester Johnson, grade 4 in Proctor; Bob Kanzler, Castleton Village, grades 5 and 6; Harold Kelley, grade 7 in Fair Haven; Wayne King, grade 8 in Fair Haven; Dick McNamara, grade 6 in Wallingford; Mrs. Rita Morgan, grades 5, 6, and 7 in Rutland Town; Erwin Nichols, grade 4 in Castleton; Marion Patterson, grade 6 in Rutland; John Pecott, grade 5 in Poultney.

Also, William Ruby, grade 6 in Fair Haven; Mike Russo, grades 1-4 in Wells; Howie Saunders, grades 4 and 5 in Rutland; Jan Smith, grades 5 and 6, South School, in Fair Haven; Frank Smolinski, grade 4 in Rutland; Tom Snyder, grade 6 in Rutland; Steve Squeglia, grades 7 and 8 in Benson; Dorwin Stoddert, grade 4 in Fair Haven; Maureen Sullivan, grades 4 and 5 in Shoreham; Ron Sweet, grade 4 in Poultney; Knowlton Utley, Junior High School in Rutland; Andra Vitenbergs, grade 6 in East Poultney; Gene Wasik, grade 1 in Proctor; and Jim Yatsik, grade 6 in Proctor.

Delta Psi Initiates Soon

Delta Psi Omega will initiate two new members into its circle soon. Betty O'Brien and Joy Marcoux are the lucky Thespians who have acquired the drama points necessary for membership in the society. The initiation ceremony will be conducted by other members of the Delta Psi under the direction of Marilyn Brooks, president, and Miss Jackson, faculty advisor.

We all are very sorry to learn of the death of Kathy Canney's father and wish to express our deepest sympathy to her and to her family.

Bay Staters To Entertain

On February 18, following the Junior Banquet for their co-operating teachers, the "Bay Staters" will entertain them as well as the remaining students and faculty of C.T.C.

The "Bay Staters" are a newly formed singing group from the Bay State of Massachusetts. Although newly formed, the "Bay Staters" are fast gaining in the experience and knowledge of the entertainment world.

Within the group are four young men who have in their possessions a wide repertoire of songs which will surely entertain the audience.

Castleton J.V.'s Humble Champlain

The Castleton J.V.'s showed their superiority over Champlain College of Commerce by defeating them by a score of 57-34. Ed "Honker" Fregosi led the way for the Spartans with a total of 19 points, close behind "Honker" in the scoring column were Ed Fabian and "Skip" Pietryka. Castleton jumped off to a large lead in the early moments of the game and proved to be stronger both offensively and defensively. The J.V.'s, under the direction of Dick Ingles, now have a 5-3 record and boast of 5 consecutive wins.

Frosh Class Elects New Vice-President

A special meeting of the Freshman class was held Wednesday, February 9, in the old Auditorium.

The purpose of this meeting was to elect a new vice-president to replace Joyce Barsalow who has recently resigned from school. Those nominated for the office were Bonnie Thorburn, Maureen McCormack and Bill Foley, with Bill Foley emerging as the new vice-president. Ed Fregosi, president of the Freshman class presided over the meeting.

PLANS UNDERWAY FOR EASTERN STATES

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represent the faculty. Castleton Teachers College has every right to be proud of the fact that Miss Hale is this year's Chairman of the Student Planning Committee. Since the entire conference is centered around the student discussions, which have as their theme, "Education—for What?", we feel that this position is extremely important.

At this time the Spartan Staff would like to congratulate you, Miss Hale.

W A A News

by Bev Osterberg

Wednesday, February 3, the girls' basketball team played against Whitehall Girls' Town Team, with Castleton downing Whitehall, 65-31.

High scorer for Castleton was Bev Osterberg with 21 points, Tish Maslack scored 19 points, Ella O'Brien with 16 and Betty O'Brien with 9. The girls have two more games with Middlebury College and Green Mountain College.

On February 4, the WAA held a meeting concerning Sports Day which is coming up February 27. This will be the first time it has been held at Castleton, and it is hoped several girls will participate in volleyball and basketball. UVM and Green Mountain College have already accepted.

The committees for the Sports Day are as follows: Publicity, Betty O'Brien; Registration, Nan Fowler; Refreshments, Carol Ann Lister; and Program, Bev Osterberg.

BIRD SHOOTERS—get the birdie and racket out, you will be ready for the badminton tournament in March.

S. C. A.

On Tuesday, February 2, Rev. Gordon Aldrich from the Congregational Church in Rutland spoke to the group on "The Teacher's Religion in the Classroom." His topic was primarily to us in our role as a teacher. Rev. Aldrich suggested that we read *Your God Is Too Small* by J. B. Philips.

The coming meetings will be as follows:

Feb. 9—Mrs. Richard Dundas—
"Our Responsibility in
the Community"

Feb. 16—Rev. Ehrmann Bennett

Feb. 23—Spaghetti Supper

Nursing Bill Defeated

by Frank Vara

Despite a considerable amount of support from the City of Rutland, Southern Vermont and many other concerned folk, the Nursing Bill met up with opposition during a recent meeting of the Vermont Assembly.

Dr. Dundas, along with officials from the Rutland Hospital, the Rutland Chamber of Commerce and various civic organizations, carried on an outstanding campaign. Members of the assembly felt, however, that this was not the time to introduce the program and voted it down.

The Spartan staff would like to congratulate Dr. Dundas and his supporters for their endless efforts to aid the Nursing shortage.

The Gymkhanas In Action



The newly formed Gym Club gets set for a night of action.

Basketball Rating Clinic Held At Castleton

People from Bennington, Arlington, Bellows Falls, Brandon, Ludlow and Springfield came to the basketball official rating clinic Saturday, February 6, at 1 p.m. Twelve people took the written test and six qualified for the practical test. Students from Ludlow, Springfield, Brandon, and Fair Haven played for the official's practical test.

National judges who did the ratings were Miss Mary Lick, Middlebury College; Mrs. Dorothy Jones, Bellows Falls High School; and Miss Joan King, Ludlow High School.

Misses Judy Kearns, Martha Moxley and Anna White served refreshments to the visiting high school students. Betty O'Brien acted as score keeper and Garry Quinn operated the score board. The Clinic was sponsored by the Vermont Board of Women Officials. Ratings were approved by the Women's National Officials rating committee.

Miss Mary Lick was in charge of the clinic and Miss Ewald was in charge of local arrangements.

Gym Club

The "Gymkhana," a new organization on campus, is under the leadership of Thomas Ranney. The purpose of the club is to enable the students to use and become more familiar with the various types of gymnastic equipment available.

Under Tom's instructions and careful guidance, the members are able to develop multiple skills in timing, body co-ordination, physical endurance, and balance, along with such arts as juggling and tumbling.

It is hoped that by next fall the Gymkhana can be converted to a Gym Club. The Gymkhana is set up to teach fundamental skills in all gymnastic arts including dancing and baton twirling, whereas, a Gym Club organization would entail the actual exhibition of these arts and allow its members to participate in competitions with other colleges. This will be possible only if more members of the student body will show an active interest in the club.

As most of us know, some members have already shown their skills on the trampoline and in tumbling routines on the mats during the intermission at basketball games. This is just a

Men's Sports

On January 5th, the Spartans of Castleton Teachers College played host to Siena College before a capacity crowd. Siena, one of the powerhouses in the East, jumped off to a 19-1 lead in the opening minutes of the ball game. This proved to be too much for the smaller Castleton "five" to overcome as the Siena Indians went on to win by the score of 59-43. Castleton did play a better brand of ball than the score indicates as they were only three points behind at half-time. Outstanding for Castleton were Bob Iusi, who cleared most of the rebounds, George Daley and Lee Carter.

On January 18th, Castleton traveled south to play against Windham College. Here they avenged their defeat from Siena College by soundly trouncing their opponents by the score of 88-83. The Spartans were superior to Windham in every department and therefore took an early lead which Windham could not make up. During the game, Coach Terry cleared his bench allowing all of his players a chance to score.

Leading the list of scorers was Bob Iusi who had 26 points and a majority of the rebounds, followed by Mike Marslow with 16 points, "Joko" Daley with 12 points and Lee Carter with 11 points.

On January 20th, Plymouth Teachers College, still beaming from their win over the undefeated Spartan soccer team, invaded Castleton and proceeded to knock off the Terrymen again by the score of 63-60. This was a thriller all the way with the lead changing hands many times throughout the game until Plymouth finally got control in the last few seconds, which was enough to give them the edge. The Terrymen did play good ball and with a couple of breaks could have turned the tables on the taller Plymouth team.

Outstanding throughout the ball game in every department were Bob Pedro with 18 points and Lee Carter with 15 points. This was a sad game to lose for these two as it was their last game for the Green and White on account of graduation. The team will certainly miss these two players because they were the spark plugs of the squad.

This now leaves Castleton with a record of four wins and three losses in the Conference.

beginning of the activities that will be carried on by the club in the future.

Meetings are held every Monday evening from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. Everyone is invited and urged to come. There are no special requirements for membership in the organization and it is not necessary to have had previous experience in gymnastics.

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The chairmen for the various committees were chosen by the student body. Those chosen were Frank Vara and Mary-Jane Madigan, co-chairmen of the carnival; Janet Walker, music; Beulah Lamphere, refreshments; Betty O'Brien, invitations; Gary Quinn, flowers; Don Goodell, clean-up; Mary Carley and Art Benedict, coronation; Larry Cook, jazz program; Mary-Ann Hunter, decorations; Bob Ward, Sports Day; and Dick Burke, publicity. Miss Ewald and Mr. Terry served as advisors.



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U V M To Give 8 Summer Courses

The University of Vermont will establish a summer session center at Castleton Teachers College, where eight courses will be offered for university credit next summer.

The center, which is the first off-campus summer session to be attempted by the university, was developed at the request of the Southwestern Superintendents' Association and in cooperation with the State Department of Education and the administrator of Castleton.

The courses offered will be taught by a UVM summer session faculty member and will carry full University of Vermont resident credit. Housing and meals will be available on the Castleton campus.

The six week session will be held July 6-August 18. Courses to be offered will be in educational measurements, child and adolescent development, English-American Literature, modern poetry, introductory sociology, collective behavior, basic speech and oral interpretation of literature.

Persons interested in the Castleton offerings or in regular UVM summer session courses and programs may obtain further information by contacting the University of Vermont Summer Session Office, Waterman Building, Burlington, Vermont.

Castleton Students Enact Play At Green Mountain

Green Mountain Junior College presented a comedy in two acts, "Dream Girl," on Wednesday and Thursday nights, March 2nd and 3rd in Ackley Hall.

The play, directed by Mr. Saul Elkin of Poultney, Vermont is about a girl who wraps herself up in her day-dreams, which proves very interesting due to the complications she leads herself into.

Castleton Teachers College has provided the male members of the cast which include: Tom Ranny as Clark Redfield, Jerry Lentini as Jim Lucas, Bob Undeen as George Hand, Bill Skitt as Luigi and George Bergin as the policeman.

All members of Castleton Teachers College were invited to attend.

On Wednesday the bus transported students to the play, and on Thursday the bus and two state cars were used.

Winter Carnival Royalty



King Gary Quinn of South Glens Falls, N. Y., and Queen Trudy Landry of Nashua, N. H., who reigned over the Castleton Winter Carnival, February 11-14. Gary and Trudy are seniors at Castleton.

Morrill House, Seniors Trophy Holders

In February 12th and 13th, the students of Castleton Teachers College met in the Gym for their Annual Winter Carnival Sports Events. Competition was held among the four classes. This sports program was to have been originally held in West Rutland and consist of outdoor winter sports, but due to the unfavorable weather conditions it was then held in the Gym.

The various events were: Badminton, Obstacle Course, Wheelbarrow Race, Hand Hockey, Basketball and Volleyball. The Seniors headed the list for the number of participants with 41, the Sophomores next with 36, Juniors third with 26, and the Freshmen with 15.

The results were as follows: (including 5 points for the class with the most participants)

Seniors	16 & 5	21 pts.
Sophomores	15	15 pts.
Freshmen	14½	14½ pts.
Juniors	11½	11½ pts.

This Sports Event proved to be much fun for all those participating.

One outstanding feature of this year's Winter Carnival was to have been the Snow Sculpture Contest. This was to have been between the dorms and the commuters, but due also to unfavorable weather conditions, Ellis Hall, Philips House, and the commuters were unable to have a sculpture. Leavenworth did start on the "North Wind" but were unable to finish theirs. Morrill House did finish theirs, "The Morrill-saur"????? One outstanding feature about the "thing" was its eyes that really lit up!!!!

The trophies were awarded to the Seniors and the Morrill House boys the night of our Winter Carnival Ball and were accepted by Tony Citro, President of both the Seniors and Morrill House.

Congratulations, Seniors and MORRILL-Saurs!!!!

Helping Teachers Set Science Course

The Castleton Teachers College campus was selected as the meeting place of a special committee designed to help lift the educational standards of the elementary school in Vermont.

From February 23 through February 26, a group of the Department of Education Helping Teachers met and structured an Elementary Science Course of Study. The results of this study will be made available to the elementary schools in the State so that they can offer students the practical and standard background that they will need at a later point in their education. This study should raise the level of the Science Curriculum in many of our schools.

The Curriculum Consultant for this study was Dr. Karlene Russell. Dr. Max Barrows represented the State Department of Commerce and Education. The Helping Teachers were Miss Bernice McKee, Mr. Leighton Gough, Mr. Leonard Johnson, Mrs. Elfreda Frost, and Mrs. Doris Dimick.

Bay Staters Entertain In Music-Comedy Program

by Betty O'Brien

Following a banquet sponsored by the Junior Class for their cooperating teachers, the Bay Staters presented a musical comedy program in the auditorium.

The "Bay Staters" are made up of Lillian Lee, Alfred Lee, William Brahn, Matly Madaris, and Ralph Morris, leader and organizer of the group. Each is well versed in music, having studied at the New England Conservatory of Music.

The program was opened with various selections from the Broadway musical hit "My Fair Lady." As the show continued a variety of entertainment, ranging from a piano solo, "Rhapsody in Blue" by Mr. Lee, to barber shop harmony, to Broadway showstoppers, to operatic selections by Miss Lee—were presented for our enjoyment.

An Oriental flavor was delightfully added by Miss Lillian Lee, who sang "Happy Talk," "Chinese Lullaby," and an Oriental variation of "One Sera, Sera."

Comedy and dancing were also provided.

Campus Personality

Likeable and personable describes this issue's campus personality. He is known to most of us as Tony Citro. Tony is a native of Ludlow, Vermont, and is a graduate of Ludlow High.



ANTHONY CITRO

After completing his high school education, he came to Castleton Teachers College, where he quickly established a fine reputation as a leader. He was rewarded for his leadership by being elected president of the junior class. He proved himself a good organizer and was re-elected as president of his senior class. Tony is also Dorm President of Morrill House.

He is very interested in stereophonic sound. He has a great deal of equipment and tapes, and has played at each of the sock hops after the basketball games. His stereo aided in the success of the Junior Class Show last year. Tony is also a great lover of water sports, particularly water skiing.

Tony is majoring in Social Studies, and has signed a contract in Bristol, Vermont, to teach on the Junior High School level. We wish you all the best of luck.

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College Exchange

IT AIN'T GRAMMATICAL . . .
by Waldo Goodermote, '61
North Adams Teachers College

The American society has been up to its ears in English usage for years and has tried to dwell harmoniously in the weird, turbulent region between a handful of sober grammarians, who live in, and an army of high-spirited writers, who live wherever they can.

Through the turmoil and the whirling waters I have reached a couple of opinions of my own about the language. One is that a schoolchild should be taught grammar for the same reason that a medical student should study anatomy. Having learned about the exciting mysteries of an English sentence, the child can then go forth and speak and write any way that he pleases. You know people who speak with vigor and charm, but ungrammatically. In them the absence of grammar made little difference because their speech was so full of juice, but when these dullards speak in a slovenly way, their speech suffers not merely from dullness, but from ignorance, and their whole lives, in a sense, suffer . . .

The living language is like a cow-path: it is the creation of the cows themselves, who, having created it, follow it. From daily use, the path will, of course, undergo changes. A cow is under no obligation to stay in the narrow path she helped make, but she often profits by staying with it, and she would be handicapped if she didn't know where it was and where it led. Children obviously do not depend for communication on a knowledge of grammar; they rely mostly on their ear, which is sharp and quick. I have yet to see the child who hasn't profited from coming face to face with a relative pronoun at an early age.

Men Wanted

Yes, that's right. More men are wanted for Mixed Glee Club because there are only a few members at the present time. Mr. Aborn, our new instructor in music, who is replacing Miss Markham, says that he needs more men badly and would like to see more women, also. He plans to have longer rehearsals and all of the present members feel that the extra work will produce a glee club that they can be proud of.

So, remember to come next Tuesday at 1:30 and begin your singing career.

DEAN'S LIST

Sylvia Alcorn, Class of 1960, from Gaysville, Vermont, has also completed her semester courses and has an index equal to Dean's List qualifications. Her name was left out of the column appearing in the last issue of the *Spartan*.

Editorial:

Courtesy In The Dormitory

When many of us came to college, we left our homes and familiar family circles in exchange for dormitories and social living. In time, we were able to adapt ourselves to home away from home and its different way of life.

One of the first things that appeared strange was our pattern of conduct. At home we automatically conducted ourselves in an orderly manner. But when exposed to the number of different situations that occur in a dormitory, we could readily see that there is a need for definite rules and regulations to be set forth by which we can regulate our own self-discipline.

Everyone means well, but at one time or other we find ourselves involved in jokes, pranks, or even a simple bull session that proves to be quite distracting to the students trying to study at the time. And, momentarily, we unintentionally become inconsiderate of those around us.

This is easy to do, and in itself is not extremely serious. However, while we are doing this, we are forgetting the reason that we are in the dormitory in the first place—to get an education.

Therefore, if everyone in the dormitory became a bit more considerate of his neighbors, and if everyone extended a few common social courtesies to the others, our home away from home would be a much more fruitful and more pleasant place to live. It only takes a bit of will power and self-discipline to show a little consideration for others.

Spartan Sparklers

by Jeanne Longley

Another Winter Carnival at Castleton Teachers College has passed, but I am sure this one will remain a pleasant memory.

The crowning of Queen Trudy and King Gary made the weekend complete and then topped off by the formal dance held in the new gym with the utmost of decorations. Yes, it was a very successful event and these students would like to give their opinions:

Bobbi—"It was a lot of fun—the Pizza Party was a novel idea. Much credit is due to Mary Anne Hunter on the fabulous decorations."

John Taft—"I think the Weekend as a whole can be summed up as a real success. It was unfortunate that there wasn't spirit as in years past. Too bad 'Usi' couldn't make it!"

Nick Nichols—"I thought the formal made up for what we missed in the winter outing. Of course, there wasn't much competition in the Snow Sculpture Contest—we could have won with a snowman."

Ella O'Brien—"Anything worth having is worth working for. This was perhaps one of the reasons for such an enjoyable weekend."

Skip Curtis—"This was indeed the best Winter Carnival I've attended here in four years. I believe the high point was the extraordinary job done by the decoration committee. With such zeal as was displayed in this field, the Carnival's success was measured."

Lazz—"I think the Winter Carnival was a success. I was glad to see so many students stay for the weekend."

New Alumni

There are many faces that have been missed around the campus lately and those are the familiar faces of the graduates of January, 1960.

To them we wish the best of luck and success in the future. They are as follows:

1. Affinito, Francis A., Whitehall, New York—teaching at Comstock Prison.
2. Armstrong, Beryl H., East Wallingford—teaching at East Dummerston, grade 2.
3. Blodgett, Alvera Loth, Castleton.
4. Carter, Lee P., Poultney—teaching at Marlboro, grades 5-8.
5. Guibord, Carl H., Rupert—U.S.A. Armed Forces.
6. Fee, Beverly A., Cuttingsville—teaching at Bennington Southeast, grades 7, 8, 9.
7. Flower, Thomas B., Burlington.
8. Hewitt, James D., Whitehall, New York—teaching at Comstock Prison.
9. Little, June B., Fair Haven.
10. McDevitt, Katherine C., Rutland—teaching at Arlington, grade 3.
11. Matulonis, Anne Seward, Ludlow.
12. Pedro, Robert M., Fair Haven.
13. Perry, Norma M., Morrisville—teaching at Starksboro, grades 1-2.
14. Robinson, John W., Castleton—teaching at Center Rutland, grade 6.

Cheers For The Cheerleaders



Standing: Marie Bell, front: Bonnie Thorborn, Joan Barrows, and Mary Kerr.

Although the school year is still less than three-fourths finished, the activities of one of the busiest organizations in the college have come to an end until next fall. This organization could be none other than the Spartan Cheerleaders.

Soon after school starts in September, all the girls interested in this organization and its activities begin to practice the various college cheers. After a sufficient period of time, they are judged on such qualities as poise, personality, enthusiasm, voice, and skill. Those that qualify become members of the Varsity Cheering Team.

This year the girls that were chosen to represent our school for the entire year were Marie Bell, a junior from Rutland; Bonnie Thorburn, a freshman from Quincy, Mass.; Joan Barrows, a sophomore from Putney; Mary Kerr, a freshman from White Plains, N. Y.; and Joyce Heath, a freshman from Fair Haven. Marie Goodwin, a freshman from Hubbardton joined the squad at the beginning of the second semester. The girls elected Marie Bell as their captain and Joan as co-captain. Mrs. T. Richard Terry is their advisor.

The duties placed on each member of the squad are far more reaching than just cheering at the soccer and basketball games. They are also responsible for building enthusiasm in the student body, holding snake dances and pep rallies, sponsoring sock hops after the games, and placing morale-building posters around the campus. One of the most impressive demonstrations of sportsmanship of the year came when the cheering squad worked out cheers with visiting squads and cheers of welcome to the visiting teams.

This year has been a memorable one for the squad in that it adopted a constitution and has been chartered by the Student Senate as an official organization in the college.

S. C. A. Activities

On February 9, Mrs. Richard Dundas spoke to us about "Your Contributions to Community Life."

First of all, we need to find a good community to live in. Secondly, no matter who you are, you can add something to the good of the community. It may be just helping on a committee, or it may be the head of a group, but no matter what it is, it is important.

Mrs. Dundas told us what organizations she belonged to and what she had done in each of them.

On February 16, Rev. Ehrmann Bennett of Springfield spoke to us on "Mixed Marriages."

Rev. Bennett said we should all be looking forward to marriage, and it should be seriously considered a lifetime partnership. He urged us to take time in choosing our partner, to be sure that we have chosen the right one. Then, we should let God help us, by having our wedding blessed.

Rev. Bennett said that every two out of five marriages end in divorce. At the rate it is going, it will be one out of every two.

Each member of the organization could pick up pamphlets on Mixed Marriages, Children, and the Home upon leaving the meeting.

C.T.C. GRAD WINS NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION AWARD

Bob Richardson, Class of 1958, has been awarded a National Science Foundation Scholarship in Math of \$6,387 to Notre Dame University for the year 1960-1961, including a summer course. Bob was also selected for a similar scholarship at Syracuse University, University of North Carolina, and San Diego State. Since graduation Bob has taught Math at Middlebury Junior High School.

Across The Campus

Some of our girls have been traveling recently. Sally, how was Kake Walk? Jane Williams and Joella Sweeney seemed to find a particular interest in Kake Walk, too. Did you enjoy yourselves with Chuck and Chet? interesting, too.

According to the grapevine, "Lepi" will begin teaching in Marlboro, Vermont very soon. Good luck to you, Lee.

We seem to have a few more blondes on campus these days. It is amazing what "liquid sunshine" can do, isn't it, Joanie, Marlene and Teddy?

Rumor has it that Fisky spent last weekend in New York (city, that is) and Picchi visited Barb Ayer in Bennington.

Lyn, isn't it lonesome with "W" commuting these days? How did you manage to get everything done before? Oh, well, Rutland is only twelve miles away.

Frank, the "commander," seems to have trouble getting to class on time. What seems to be the matter, Frank; is nine o'clock so terribly early?

Bob Iusi, I'd like to know if you found a needle and thread yet. Maybe you better have Coach get some new pants for you. Drafty isn't it? You do have trouble these days. Hope the ribs are all right.

Jay, we are all glad to meet your CHUM. When is he coming back?

"Abby" finally found some late hour bridge players. What would you do without Judy and Dot? Not to mention Bobbi.

If anyone thinks he has been seeing double lately, his eyes are not deceiving

RUTLAND GUIDANCE CLINIC SEEKING STUDENT ASSISTANCE

The Rutland Guidance Clinic Staff is interested in finding College students at the Freshman and Sophomore level who are interested in helping them meet the needs of their Clinic clients.

The Clinic serves the youth of this area who are emotionally disturbed. In many cases it has been found that the need is not so much for therapy as it is for good positive friendships of the so-called "Big Brother" or "Big Sister" type.

We have need of people who would be willing to travel to, or whose homes are in the Brandon, Rutland, Poultney, and Fair Haven areas. Contact time would be about 1-1½ hours per week.

Transportation and sometimes hourly fees can be provided by the families of children involved.

For further information, see Mr. James Gilbert in the Guidance Office as soon as possible.

him. It's George's twin brother, Hal. We were glad to meet you, Hal. Come back for another party soon.

Congratulations are in order for Gene Oliver and Maryann Towne on their recent engagement. The best of everything to you both.

Burlington is a popular place this weekend, even among the girls from Leavenworth Hall. Ginny Flood and Jean Shattuck attended Kake Walk. Hope you had fun, girls.

Leavenworth Hall extends a welcome to Sheila Kehoe who recently came to Castleton. Welcome to C.T.C., Sheila.

Harold Bergin, George's twin brother, spent a week at Leavenworth. We all enjoyed having him as our guest and we truly hated to see him leave. Harold is connected with the Air Force and holds the position of Staff Sergeant. He has since returned to the base.

Jerry Lentini had a letter from the government asking him to please file a joint return with his wife. We didn't know that you had a wife, Jerry. What about it?

Glen Thurber, Ed Marsette, and Gordie La Croix were guests at Morrill House during the Winter Carnival weekend.

The Morrill House men won the snow sculpture contest with their rendition of a Morrisaur. What happened to Leavenworth and Ellis?

Once again a Morrill House resident was crowned king of the Winter Carnival. Congratulations, Gary.

John Barth, a transfer from Springfield College and John Wu, a transfer from the University of Vermont, are new residents at Morrill House. Welcome, fellows.

What's this we hear about an eleven o'clock curfew in Frank's and Art's room. After all, they do need their beauty sleep.

"Peaches" is still showing war movies at Morrill House. Ellis and Leavenworth are cordially invited.

New Students

Since the last issue of the *Spartan* went to press, several new faces have appeared on campus. We would like to take this opportunity to welcome these new students at Castleton, and we hope that they will find their stay most enjoyable. They are:

James Aiken, Whitehall, N. Y., Siena.

John Anderson, Rutland, Vermont, Upsala.

Sheila Kehoe, Burlington, Vermont, U.V.M.

Frances Sufnarski, Wells, Vermont.

John K. Wu, Ludlow, Vermont, U.V.M.

Spartans In 6-6 Conference Play; Lose Out For Tourney Berth

by Sam Carrara

On February 5th, a strong Gorham Teachers College quintet invaded Castleton, still beaming from their earlier win over the Spartans. The Terrymen, however, weren't affected by this as they avenged their January 9th loss to Gorham by pulling an 89-87 upset victory over the visitors. This was a nip-and-tuck ball game all the way with the lead changing hands many times throughout the game and finally ending in a 67-67 tie which led into overtime. The first overtime also produced a tie as the teams were matching baskets. The second overtime differed as with two seconds left to go in the second extra play "Joko" Daley, Castleton's right forward, sank a jump shot from the top of the key to win the ballgame for the Green and White.

Outstanding players for Castleton were Jerry Toomey with 14 points, sharpshooter Mike Barslow with 18 points, Bob Iusi with 14 points and "Joko" Daley, who proved to be the hero of the game with 17 points.

This win left Castleton with a record of 4 wins and 3 losses in the Conference.

On February 9th, the Spartans traveled southward where they played a strong North Adams Teachers College "five." The Terrymen found themselves no match for North Adams as they were romped over by the score of 81-53. Earlier in the season Castleton had beaten North Adams thoroughly, but the tables turned as our Vermont quintet seemed to have trouble, both on offense and defense.

Bob Iusi was the only player hitting double digits with 10 points, followed by "Joko" Daley and Jon Emerson who both hit for 8 points.

This left the hot and cold Spartans with a record of 4 wins and 4 losses in the Conference.

On February 17th, which was the weekend of Castleton's Winter Carnival, the Spartans played host to one of its greatest rivals, Lyndon Teachers College. The Carnival crowd was not let down at this game as the Terrymen romped over Lyndon by the score of 73-69. Castleton showed the brand of ball it could play as they shot for 49 percent of its floor shots and 79 percent of its free throws.

Leading the list of scorers were freshman guard Jerry Toomey with 17 points, Mike Barslow with 14 points and Bob "Duce" Iusi with 13 points.

This left Castleton with a five and four record in the league.

On February 17th, the Spartans played their last home game against Albany College of Pharmacy. The last look at the Spartans on their home court was a bright one as they over-

ran the Pharmacy by the score of 72-56. Coach Terry was able to clear his bench allowing all of his hoopsters to play and score, enabling them to keep in shape for the two games which lay ahead against R.I.C.E. and Lowell. If the Spartans are able to win both of these games they may be given a berth in the tournament.

High scorers for the Spartans against the Pharmacy were Jerry Toomey with 14 points, followed by Jon Emerson, Joko Daley and a newcomer, John Barth who all contributed 10 points.

On February 19th, the Spartans of Castleton traveled to Lowell, Mass., where they encountered a sharp Lowell Teachers College "five." In this first game of a two game road trip Castleton outscored their opponents by a score of 78-69. Lowell was ahead at the end of a few minutes of play but showed down to a crawl as the Spartans soon over-took them and went on to win easily. With this win, Castleton's chances of making the tournament seems one step closer.

Right forward Mike Barslow led the parade of scorers with 16 points, followed by John Barth with 15 points and Don Orvis with 12 points. "Joko" Daley did an outstanding job of grabbing rebounds as he captured 14 rebounds and also scored 12 points.

Castleton now had six wins and four losses in the conference.

The next day, February 20th, the Spartans traveled to Providence, Rhode Island where they met Rhode Island College of Education. Castleton played a brand of ball that would have beaten any ordinary team but R.I.C.E. was above average this game as they made 75% of their floor shots. This was the main factor in R.I.C.E.'s 76 to 67 win over the Terrymen of Castleton. Leading the scoring for C.T.C. was Jerry Toomey and Bob Iusi with 18 and 17 points, respectively. John Barth scored 14 points and played some fancy defensive ball. He also led the rebounders with 10 rebounds. If Castleton had won this game they would have had a chance for a berth in the tournament.

Castleton now stands in the Conference with six wins and five losses.

On February 25th, the Green and White of Castleton Teachers College traveled to Lyndonville, Vt. where they played Lyndon Teachers College. But this game proved different as Lyndon pulled a 69-56 upset victory over the Spartans of Castleton.

Once again freshman Jerry Toomey led the parade of scorers with 19 points, followed by John Barth with 12 points, and Bob Iusi with 11 points to the good. Iusi also pulled a great many rebounds,

Women's Sports

SPORTS DAY

On February 27th, Castleton held its first Sports Day with Green Mountain participating with C.T.C. in volleyball and basketball.

C.T.C. lost the first round of volleyball, 15-8. The girls came back to take the second round, 11-8, and Betty O'Brien made 8 straight points for the third game to give us a win in volleyball, 15-10.

The following girls participated in volleyball: Betty O'Brien, Marilyn Brooks, Sandra Garron, Jane Jennings, Kathy Macia, Rose Giroux, Nan Fowler and Beverly Osterberg.

In basketball, the first quarter was "nip and tuck" ending in a tie. The second quarter, the Castleton girls pulled away and went on to win, 39-20.

Marilyn Daniels played an outstanding game in guarding, along with Mary Jane Madigan, Sandra Garron and Rose Giroux.

Many thanks should go to the following: volleyball officials, Miss Braunschworth and Marilyn Daniels; basketball officials, Shirley Homburger and Marilyn Brooks; score keeper, Gini Worden; and timer, Mary Carley.

The success of Sports Day was due to these people: General Chairman, Mary Jane Madigan; Publicity, Betty O'Brien; Program Chairman, Bev Osterberg; Refreshments, Carol-Anne Litster; and Advisor, Miss Edith Ewald.

LYNDON VICTORY

On March 1st, the girls' basketball team motored to Lyndon Teachers College.

The first two minutes of the game, C.T.C. stayed with Lyndon. Then they pulled away and stayed ahead about 10 to 15 points the remainder of the game, with Lyndon winning 77-62.

C.T.C. was getting several shots, but just could not find the range. Ella O'Bryan was high scorer with 20 points, Tish Maslack with 18 points, Bev Osterberg with 16 points and Betty O'Brien with 8 points.

The following played guard: Judy Yoxthimer, Cindy Murray, MaryLou Bruehl, Jane Martin and Sandra Garron.

The girls are playing the Varsity boys, Monday, at 8:00 p.m. It should be good, so come and see what happens.

LAST CHANCE

Last chance for officials rating approved by The National Board for women officials will be given at Middlebury, Thursday, February 10th at 7:00 p.m. A basketball team from C.T.C. has been invited to play against Middlebury and Trinity College for the practical tests. Students interested in taking written tests may do so on Wednesday, March 9th. See Miss Ewald if interested.

Enrollment Cut; Room Charges Up

The State Board of Education met in Montpelier on Wednesday, March 2, to take action to bring Castleton Teachers College closer to accreditation and approved a plan to hold down enrollment of freshmen at the college next year.

The board said enrollment of freshmen would be restricted to about 80 students with the stipulation that about half that number would come from out of state.

The action was taken to bring the student-teacher ratio down to about 18 to 1 from its present 22 to 1.

The ratio is one of the criteria for teacher college accreditation with the desired ratio set at 15 to 1.

Education Commissioner A. John Holden, Jr., said enrollment of 80 student freshmen next year would keep total enrollment at the college at about its present level of 360 students.

The improved teacher-student ratio, however, will actually come from the addition of two new faculty members on the college staff next year.

In other action the board set new rates for room charges at teachers colleges next year, boosting the present rate of \$4 weekly to \$5.

But rates for meals next year were left at the present \$12 weekly to students.

Requirements for certification by the state board of degree granting privileges at educational institutions in the state were also set by the board. The requirements cover buildings, facilities, faculty and curriculum, Holden said.

Calendar

The scheduled program for the month of March is as follows:

- Mar. 2 & 3—Play at Green Mountain College
- 4—Swimming at Green Mountain College
- 8—Assembly: Henry Neugebauer
- 8—Movie on Russia
- 14—I.R.C. Speaker
- 26—Mid-Semester Grades Due
- 29—I.R.C. Speaker
- 31—Birthday Banquet

Odds And Ends

If anyone is interested in working on the "Spartan"—come to the meetings—they will be posted in Woodruff Hall. If you like to write, give an article to the Spartan—anything will be appreciated.

I'm glad to see that the new "Gym Club" is an active club on campus. Many more clubs should take this example.



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Lecture Program Views Cliffdwellers

by Betty O'Brien

On March 8, C.T.C. students had the pleasure of hearing Henry Neugebauer present "The Land of the Ancient Cliffdwellers of This Country." By the use of beautifully colored slides and an illustrative lecture to follow these slides, Mr. Neugebauer spread the history of the Southwest before us.

Through these expeditions, Mr. Neugebauer has proven that North America was inhabited 16,000 years ago and added material to disprove the theory that American Indians were originally from Asia. He has travelled over 40,000 miles through the United States as well as Mexico and South America, thus accounting for his fabulous collection of slides totaling nearly 5,000.

As we sat with eyes upon the screen before us, the beauty and glory of sights such as the "Garden of Gods," "The Petrified Forest," the Grand Canyon and the unusual rock formations appropriately entitled, "The Three Wise Men," "Gossips," and the "Parade of the Elephants" were unfurled for our enjoyment.

The Ancient pueblos of this country's first inhabitants were shown as well as a discussion into the insight of their fears, their pottery, their reasons for moving and various other aspects of their primitive life.

The Honest Pickpocket

by Art Benedict

On Wednesday evening, March 30th, the faculty and students of Castleton Teachers College will have the opportunity to see some light entertainment immediately following the Birthday Banquet.

Elwin T. Shaw, who is known as the "Honest Pickpocket" will appear on our own stage here at the college.

Shaw promises to be most entertaining as he demonstrates to us several ways in which he is an expert when it comes to picking people's pockets. Throughout his one-hour show he will show us some illusion work with baby chicks, play the old shell game, but with baby chicks instead of a pea, also we will see some big "illusion" tricks, plus some magic and mind-reading.

This promises to be an unusually good show, so at 8:00 o'clock that night let's all turn out and let the "Honest Pickpocket" sweep us away into the world of entertainment.



Castleton Teachers College will be represented at the Eastern States Conference in New York City this week. The delegates pictured above are (standing, l. to r.) Sam Carrara, Dick Burke, Art Benedict, and Frank Vara. Seated are (l. to r.) Marie Goodwin, Miss Elizabeth Hale, and Evie Berge.

Education Is Theme Of Conference

by Bob Undeen

The thirty-fifth annual conference of the Eastern States Association of Professional Schools has been scheduled for March 24th, 25th, and 26th of 1960. This conference group will be composed primarily of representatives from various student bodies throughout the colleges of the Eastern States. To be more specific, this group is an association of approximately seventy teacher preparatory institutions from ten Eastern States and the District of Columbia. Perhaps the most outstanding and distinguishing characteristic of this organization is the fact that it is student centered.

The founding of the Association was stimulated and later motivated by the conviction that prospective teachers should have an extremely functional understanding of a truly democratic society and the social processes that in turn make up such a strong constitution regarding true democracy. This same philosophy suggests that this type of understanding can be promoted only by direct experiences. It was these objectives that Dr. Ambrose L. Suhrie of New York University in the year of 1926 attempted to project and convey to the future teacher of America.

The theme of the conference this year is: "Education—for What???" Each year the theme pertains to the better-

ment of our present educational procedures.

The headquarters for the conference this year will be at the Hotel New Yorker, in New York City, and all conferences will be held at this same locale.

This year's speakers are Dr. Lawrence G. Derthick, United States Commissioner of Education, Department of Health, Education and Welfare, Dr. Francis H. Horn, President of the University of Rhode Island and Dr. T. M. Stinnett, Director, Teacher Education and Professional Standards of the N.E.A.

According to the Constitution of the Organization, each college sends two **official delegates**; one faculty member chosen by his college administration, and a student selected by the student government. In addition to the official **delegates**, other students and faculty members may attend as representatives. All are expected to have prepared for participation in the discussion groups.

This year the representatives from Castleton Teachers College are as follows:
Freshman Class—Marie Goodwin.
Sophomore Class—Sam Carrara.
Junior Class—Evie Berg.
Senior Class—Frank Vara.

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Vermont Music Educators' Meet

by Janet Walker

The semi-annual meeting of the Vermont Music Educators' Association was held at the College on March 9. About 35 people attended from Bennington, Vergennes, Essex Junction, St. Albans, Springfield, and other areas throughout the state.

Mr. Jack Alexander, Supervisor of Music in the Rutland Public Schools, was the general chairman of the day's program. The business meeting was held in the morning. At this time Mrs. Evelyn Springstead, President of Vermont's Music Educators' Association, gave a report on Vermont's connection with the National Association. Mrs. Springstead attended the national meeting in Interlochen, Michigan, last year.

After a fine dinner, everyone enjoyed several vocal selections presented by members of the Green Mountain Girls' Glee Club. Dr. Robert English directed the group. Following this, Mr. Robert Aborn of Castleton played a piano solo, Chopin's "Scherzo in B-Flat Minor."

To conclude the program, a panel of Castleton people discussed the place of the classroom teacher in presenting music. Mr. Bushnell was in charge of the panel which included Mrs. Dorothy Parsons, Mr. Aborn, and Nancy White.

Birthday Banquet Coming March 30

by Art Benedict

The thirty-first annual Birthday Banquet of the college will be held on March 30th.

Without doubt, the Freshmen and all the new students are asking, "What is the Birthday Banquet?" This is the time when all faculty members and students celebrate their birthdays at the same time. Several years ago, before the enrollment of the college was so large, each individual birthday was recognized. As the enrollment increased the birthdays were recognized in order of months, and now each birthday is paid tribute to in order of seasons all at the same time.

The dining room is divided into four sections representing the four seasons. The students and faculty sit in the section representing the season in which their birthday comes.

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Campus Personality

by Paula Ames

West Springfield, Massachusetts is the home of the Junior Class President, Steve Squeglia. He attended high school at Cathedral High School in Springfield, Massachusetts, where he was active on the *Chronicle*, the school newspaper, and where he also played hockey and baseball.



STEVE SQUEGLIA

Steve entered Castleton Teachers College in 1957 and has been kept busy ever since. Active with the Senate for two years, Social Rec Committee, Drama Club, starting a Psychology Club (which ceased to exist the following year), helping with varsity baseball during his freshman year, participating in intramurals, (in which his class won the trophy), Steve is also A.A. Vice President and layout editor of this year's *Spartan* and co-editor of art and layout for next year's *Castleton*.

When he isn't studying or working on one of his various activities, Steve can usually be found with "Cookie," Jon or Nick or watching the fights on television.

Steve is now student teaching in the seventh and eighth grades in Benson, Vermont.

When interviewed, Steve said he likes Castleton very much and wishes to see it get its deserved accreditation in the very near future.

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Twilight

by Joy Rowe

Day was slowly drawing to a close and the sun flooded the sky with a magnificent array of colors ranging from brilliant scarlets to golden yellows.

A cooling, evening breeze blew across the waters of the tiny lake which reflected the sunset's beauty as does a mirror the face of a happy child.

From the darkening pines that fringed the lake the majestic form of a stag emerged; he paused and stood for a moment, head up-lifted, to catch the scent of unseen harm that might approach.

The stillness was broken only by the distant caw of a crow and the sound of the ripples as they softly lapped the shore.

As he lowered his towering antlers and began to drink, there came a crack of a twig, the rustle of dry leaves and from the fragrant wood came a doe, to join her mate.

President Dundas Attends Conference

by Patti Keedy

March 7th, Montpelier, Vermont, was the scene of a conference held by the Vermont Education Association. The main topic of the conference was, "Teacher Education and Professional Standards."

In the morning, an invited speaker spoke on "The Trends of Teacher Education." The second part of the program which was held in the afternoon, consisted of a keynote speaker which then led into group discussions.

Dr. Dundas, was chairman of one of three groups. Topics discussed were, "Four or Five Year Teacher Education Programs," and "What the Balance Between Content and Methods Courses Should Be."

This conference was attended by ninety educators from Vermont, which included personnel from Vermont's Public and Private Colleges, Superintendents and Principals from various schools, members of the State Board of Education and the Legislature.

Dogpatch Days

Come on, gang, now's your chance,
Have you heard about our Sadie
Hawkins Dance?

If everyone goes, we'll have a ball!
It will be fun for one and all.

The old auditorium will be the scene
And Dogpatch, our most delightful
theme.

On April 1st from eight to eleven,
It's sure to be an evening of heaven!

Editorial:

A Thought About Gossip

by Jerry Lentini

Have you ever played the game of gossip? Well, it seems as though there's a large scale game of it being played on this campus right now. Now I'm not talking about a game, I'm talking about a very serious matter detrimental to a person's character. When you indulge in this type of thing, you help to spread a vicious disease and also you are breaking one of the Ten Commandments of God Himself.

The eighth commandment says, "Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor." Now isn't that what you're doing when you spread gossip? Of course, it is and it should be stopped. Naturally, the retort to this is that it's human nature to spread gossip. Well sure, it's human nature all right, but is it human. Supposing that the "facts" that you pick up from others conversations are wrong? Supposing that you only overheard a part of a conversation? Without hearing the whole conversation it makes it have a different meaning.

The one good rule as far as conversations dealing with gossip goes is just this: "Believe nothing that you hear and half of what you see." That puts a different light on the situation and no one is getting hurt by it.

Anyone that has ever been the subject of gossip will tell you that it hurts worse than anything else. Especially when you can't get back at the person that's starting the stories because his friends are so loyal to him that they wouldn't break this moral, social code if their lives depended on it. Well, next time stop and think. Think of the character that you're tearing apart and reason with yourself. Level with yourself and find out if that person has ever hurt you and if he has, forgive him instead of ruining him.

Also, look at the character of the person starting the gossip. The one that you're staying so loyal to and remember this, that person may someday turn on you.

It's Our Policy

One of the functions of a campus paper is to allow the students to express their opinions and ideas on interesting and controversial subjects. This too, is the goal of the *Spartan*. We welcome and encourage you to express your viewpoints through the medium of LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

We are delighted to have received a number of letters concerning campus affairs, and we are very anxious to print them. However, it is a policy of the *Spartan* (and all other papers) to require a signature on each letter. This signature can be withheld from printing if requested, but it must accompany each letter to be printed. Remember, if it is worth writing, it is worth signing.

—The Editor

CONFERENCE

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Representing the school will be Dick Burke, while the representative from the Senate will be George Bergin.

Miss Hale, the head of the history department here at C.T.C. is chairman of the student discussions for the conference and is also the advisor for C.T.C. students attending the conference.

The student body feels that they have made a wise and unique choice in choosing the above as representatives from our school and we feel that they will contribute and bring forth a great deal of knowledge. As these students convey their learned material by word of mouth.

Voice Of The Senate

by Bill Foley

Discussion at the last two Senate meetings centered around the Rec. Room. Cleanliness of the room and student conduct were the main topics. Because of the problem of cigarette butts thrown carelessly about and leaving it dirty, a motion was passed on February 25 the Rec. Room would be closed to smoking for a week and when it re-opened if these conditions persisted it would be closed permanently to smoking.

Trudy Landry suggested that the S. A. hire one of the students to wash and clean the floors in the Rec. and cloak rooms once a week. This suggestion became a motion and was passed on a trial basis.

Since the students do not obey the rules of the Rec. Room the motion was passed at the March 8 meeting that the students be given a copy of these rules. Anyone who violates any of these rules henceforth will be brought before Student Court without any additional warning.

The Senate also adopted the set of rules formulated by Steve Squeglia's committee regarding parliamentary procedure at Senate meetings.

1. Order in meetings:

(a) No person is to speak out unless he is recognized by the presiding officer of the meeting.

2. Substitutes:

(a) If a member of the Senate is unable to attend a meeting he must be replaced by an officer of his class.



Many of the juniors at Castleton Teachers College are now doing their practice teaching. Here we see Steve Squeglia, Jim Yatsik, and Dorwin Stoddert making up lesson plans.

Newport Jazz And Folk Festival

The world-famous Newport Jazz Festival will be extended from four to five days this year. Louis L. Lorillard, President of the Festival, has announced that the Seventh Annual Newport Jazz Festival will take place this year from Thursday evening, June 30th, through Monday evening, July 4, at Freebody Park, Newport, Rhode Island.

The Second Annual Newport Folk Festival will be extended from two to three days this year. Dates of the folk music event are Friday, Saturday, Sunday, June 24, 25, and 26. A budget of \$50,000 has been approved by the Newport Jazz Festival Board, sponsors of the event, for this project.

Mass Celebrated For Fr. O'Brien

The faculty and students of Castleton Teachers College were saddened over the death of Father J. J. O'Brien, pastor of St. John's Parish in Castleton for the past 47 years. He was found dead in bed on March 7th.

On March 10th, a Solemn Pontifical Requiem Mass was celebrated in his honor at St. John's. The Rev. Robert F. Joyce, Bishop of Burlington, celebrated the mass. He was assisted by the Rev. T. H. Connor (the new pastor) as deacon, and the Rev. Robert Lynch as sub-deacon.

Father O'Brien has worked with students from the college in the Newman Club and other various projects. Students of all faiths loved and respected him.

He was born in Newport, Ireland, May 15, 1885. He studied for the priesthood at Mungel and Thurles in Ireland and in Quebec, where he was ordained May 21, 1910. He has been pastor of St. John's since 1913.

Odds And Ends

Everyone take notice! Some of the Ellis Hall girls have given some of their time to join the choir at St. John the Baptist. The first rehearsal is scheduled Wednesday evening. Remember though that many more members are needed. How about it, kids???

Congratulations now go to Carol Litster who is the new secretary of Ellis Hall. She replaced Cathy Canney who is now living at her home in Rutland.

Everyone is sorry to hear that there will not be any opera trip to Boston this year. The reason is that all the tickets were sold out early. Perhaps next year the class won't be late upon making up their minds if they want to go or not.

Because of it being in such demand, Tom Ranney has started a new meeting of the gym club on Thursday evenings, as well as Monday nights. So everyone is welcome to come!!!!

Preparations are being made for the Sadie Hawkins dance which is to be held April 1st. I know that all the girls are looking forward to this big night. So let's see everyone out for the big affair.

Many of the Juniors have already started their student teaching and they all seem to love it. They really have some wild stories to tell. Marbles, anyone???

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Cassin has not been feeling well lately. We hope that she is feeling fine now.

WANTED

The Spartan needs typists, reporters, feature writers, etc. Any one is welcome to join the staff.

College Exchange

LOOKING FOR A LINK?

Taken from *The Lyn News*, March 4, 1960.

"No man is an island"—so say some. But I ask you, what aught else is man but an island—an island yearning to be a fragment of an unknown mainland?

Analytical observation of a model earth breeds the conclusion that such land masses as North America, South America, Eurasia, Africa, and Australia are truthfully islands, not mainlands as commonly assumed. There are no visible structures interrelating them; there are only expanses of ocean stretching between them. It is widely accepted that beneath the watery mantle lie land bridges made up of mountains and gorges. Much experimentation is occurring, for men desire to know more about the land bridges.

MAN IS AN ISLAND. He is not bound by a visible link to his fellow man. He really knows nothing of the intricacies of his friend. There is never a complete meeting of minds. Playfully gadding about, though, he takes in with his own eyes all that his companion does, self-deceivingly basking in "complete understanding."

Down through the ages little men have feared and shunned their insular positions and have striven in some manner or form to prove that they themselves are not distinct entities. Working much the same as those who take soundings that are hoped to reveal the nature of the ocean's floor, man has vainly groped for something material to tie himself to another—bearing evidence that he IS a part of a mainland.

Taking into consideration what is known, man must look upon himself as a solitary being. I do not deny him his right to SEEK that which binds him to another—that which he knows NOT at present—but I do request that when he may gain a bit of insight, which is truth for him, pertaining to his enigma, that he refrain from mercilessly imposing it as the truth upon his fellow being UNLESS they entertain a desire to know it. Let him refrain from proclaiming that he knows the ONE, the ONLY bridge from island to island—the petty and the weak pretentiously ally themselves with other rootless isles in an attempt to escape solitude's severity.

I am prone to view the individual who claims that he has discovered the uniting cord, questionably. I am skeptical. Show ME this tie. Prove its existence. I don't believe that he has ever found his relationship to another—the land bridge joining his insularity with that of another—If such a bridge exists.

Snow Fall

by Gilbert Hawkins

Slowly, thickly, rapidly, fall the snow-flakes. At first, they lose themselves in the brown mat of leaves and frostbitten grass, or gently melt as they fall upon the chalky flagstone walk leading to the front door. But as the first hour passes, the feathery flakes form a white blanket as far as the eye can see.

In the meadow across the road, the dried grass tips pierce the mantle of white, like so many spears; but as the storm goes softly on, they sink one by one to their snowy tomb for the remainder of the season.

Across the wide meadow, I can see nothing of these hills which were so green in summer. Now they are only soft floating masses, filling the air with whiteness. I can barely see one bare-armed and smudged oak, looming through the haze of snow flakes, like a weird ship's mast breaking through the fog-ridden night.

The roof of the barn is covered; but the leaking eaves show a dark stain of water, that has turned to ice.

Our old Labrador retriever "Duke" marches stately through the strange covering of earth, leaving behind him the first disturbance on the immaculate white blanket. He shakes the flakes from his long ears, and with a vain snap at a floating feather, stalks again to his dry cover on the porch. The cat, driven from the kitchen door, beats a coy retreat with long reaches of her feet upon the yielding surface.

As time elapses, the snow flakes pile more leisurely; they grow large and scattered, and come more slowly than before. The hills that were brown, immerse into sight as great rounded billows of white. The gray woods look shrunken to half their height, and waving in the breeze.

The sun breaks through the dappled sky, and before me a winter fairyland appears. The glow of the sun writes on glittering crystal forms of icicles and frozen trees.

BIRTHDAY BANQUET

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The students in each season get together and plan some sort of theme for their section. For example, last year, the winter season chose Christmas as its theme, while the summer group planned a mock wedding. Judges selected before the banquet award a prize to the season that has the best decorations.

Spartans End Season 11-8

by Sam Carrara

On February 26, the Spartans travelled to Johnson, Vermont where they played the Johnson Teachers College "five."

This was the second time these two teams had faced each other this year with Castleton winning the first by a close margin. The second contest also proved to be a thriller with the Spartans ending out on top of a 78-77 score. This victory was brought about by hot shooting in the second half by Bob Iusi and Jerry Toomey who scored 20 and 14 points, respectively.

At intermission the Spartans were trailing by 13 points and didn't overtake Johnson until three minutes remained in the game. They then opened a 10 point lead over Johnson which proved to be enough as Castleton went into a freeze to hold Johnson down.

Controlling the boards for Castleton were Don Orvis and Bob Iusi. Other players who led the team on to victory were Jon Barth with 14 points and Jon Emerson with 11 points.

Johnson was Castleton's last league game which leaves them with an overall record of 7 wins and 6 losses in the New England Teachers College Conference.

On February 29th the Spartans played their last game of the season against Albany College of Pharmacy in Albany, New York.

This game saw the Green and White of Castleton come out on top of an 89-81 score. Jerry Toomey leading the way with 25 points was followed by Bob Iusi with 18 points, John Barth with 13 points and Mike Barslow with 12 points.

The Spartans jumped off to an early lead and were never in trouble until the end of the first half when Albany narrowed the lead down to 4 points with Castleton ahead 45-41. The second half was played fairly even with each side matching basket for basket until the last few minutes when the Spartans put on a spurt which carried them on to victory. When this game went down on records as the last game of the season for the Spartans, it left them with an overall record of 11 wins and 8 losses for the whole season. 1959-60 is to be considered a good season for our "TERRYMEN" as they were close to making the tournament. For this fine showing we have to congratulate the members of our basketball team. We also have to congratulate and tip our hats to Coach Terry who worked hard to develop the team and to increase competition. The team would like to thank "Jet" Quinn for his fine managing techniques.

The Baseball Outlook

by Bill Skitt

With the hectic and action-packed basketball over for another season, Castleton Spartan sports enthusiasts can now optimistically look forward to the unveiling of Coach T. Richard Terry's 1960 baseball squad, when they take the field for the first time on April 30th, against the Indians of Johnson Teachers College.

The Spartans will play an eight game schedule, that includes four home and four away games. The opposition will be provided by Johnson, North Adams, Farmington, Lyndon, and Gorham Teachers College. These teams should provide strong opposition for the Terry-men and give Spartan fans a good indication of the team's strength in comparison to the other teams in the league.

From all indications this year's team will have depth at some positions while at others, notably pitching, it will be woefully weak. The infield is probably the Spartans' strongest asset, with the brightest spot being at first base, where Skip Pietryka, one of the finest players ever to represent C.T.C., holds forth. Until a few weeks ago catching appeared to also be a bright spot, but due to an untimely shoulder separation suffered by George "Jocko" Daley in a basketball game at Lyndon Teachers College, which put his playing status as far as baseball is concerned in doubt, the catching position is now a question mark. A real battle for starting berths at second base, shortstop, and third base appears to be in the offing with the likes of Sam Carrara, John Barth, Ron Willis, Jerry Toomey, Dick Smyrski and others hopeful of making the grade.

Another shiny spot is the outfield which will have both ability and depth of material available. Erwin Nichols, Mike Barslow, Dick Sanders, and speed merchant Cal "Pony" Hastings, among the top prospects.

The team's weakness is in its woefully weak pitching staff. At the present there appears to be no one who is of top-notch caliber to take the mound for Coach Terry's charges. With pitching estimated by baseball experts as anywhere from sixty to ninety percent of a baseball team's efficiency, it is apparent that to be successful Coach Terry will have to devote a good deal of time to developing a respectable pitching staff.

If Coach Terry can come up with an answer to his pitching problem and the other players come through with the performances expected of them and are capable of giving, Spartan fans can look forward to a highly successful and winning baseball season.

Some Conference Changes Made

by Coach Terry

The New England Teachers College Athletic Conference Spring Meeting was held in Boston, Saturday, March 12. During the meeting a proposal was made by Conference President Richard Costello of Gorham and supported by Richard Terry, Secretary-Treasurer of Castleton, regarding the basketball tournament. After much discussion the following plan was adopted: At the end of the regular season in basketball the conference will be divided into Northern and Southern sections. The top three teams in the North play off as follows: Team No. 1 plays team No. 2 at team No. 2 gymnasium, the winner plays team No. 3 at team No. 1 gymnasium. The same play-off takes place in the South and the North-South winners play in 1961 at the gym of the winner from the North. It was felt that this arrangement would give teams a chance for post-season games in the 19 team leagues and also would prove more of a financial success than the Boston Tournament. Also more students would be able to go to the games. This is especially desirable since the students are paying for athletics and should be able to see the results.

The division will be as follows:

North	South
Farmington	New Britain
Gorham	Danbury
Plymouth	Willimantic
Keene	Worcester
Johnson	Lowell
Lyndon	Boston
Castleton	Rhode Island
North Adams	Salem
Fitchburg	Westfield
	Bridgewater

In the Tournament Friday night, Worcester beat Willimantic 80-59 and Plymouth beat Bridgewater 61-59. Then Plymouth beat Worcester to win the Tournament and the basketball trophy.

In scheduling for next year, additional soccer games were added to the Castleton schedule with Plymouth and Keene, making a total of nine conference games.

Bridgewater was awarded their sixth consecutive soccer trophy, which will also be their last as they are dropping soccer and starting football.

I. R. C. News

The International Relations Club was glad to welcome back as its guest speaker on March 14, Sok Nam Ko, whose topic was his native land of Korea.

Ko's talk covered the people of the country, their language, traditions, and customs, as well the history and geography of the country itself. The pro-

The Game Of Hockey

As the player skates away from the other players clad in their multi-colored uniforms of red, white, blue, black and old gold, the frenzied crowd rises to their feet in pandemonium. Up the ice, skates the player, faster, faster. The low din of the crowd has increased into a vibrant staccato-like excitement. Up on their toes rise the excited spectators, focussing their eyes, as the player skates closer, ever closer to the rival goalie. The cheers of the crowd become louder, ever louder as the eyes of the crowd now concentrate on the little, round, black puck. They watch the goalie go for the player's fake and with a quick, smooth motion, how he flicks the puck with his mighty wrists and arms over the goalie's shoulder. The red light flashes, the crowd goes wild in states of joy and jubilation, as they stamp their feet, swear, yell, and jump. The downcast goalie meanwhile, looks over his shoulder at the black puck that is an enigma to him, while the jubilant player skates up the ice to receive the congratulations of his fellow players and the accolade and applause of the crowd.

Women's Sports

BADMINTON TOURNAMENT

Several girls have been practicing up on their badminton for the tournament which started on March 14 at Castleton Teachers College, and will end when a single champion is finally declared. Among the girls that are participating in the program are Tish Maslack, a sophomore; Betty O'Brien, a senior; Bonnie Thorburn, a freshman; Marie Bell, a junior; Barbara Duchane and Carolyn Johnson, both sophomores; Sandy Garron and Rose Giroux, both juniors; and Bev Osterberg, a senior.

In the first round of play the winners were Tish Maslack, Betty O'Brien, Barbara Duchane, and Bev Osterberg. Both the winners and the losers will play again to determine what place each player will maintain in the tournament. It will be interesting to see just which girl will be declared the champion.

WOMEN OFFICIALS RATED

On March 10th, four girls from Castleton Teachers College went to Middlebury to play basketball so that the women officials could be rated. Castleton won the exciting games over Middlebury by a score of 22 to 18.

The girls that participated were Marlene Booth, a sophomore; Tish Maslack, a sophomore; Jean Irons, a junior; and Bev Osterberg, a senior.

gram was highlighted by a display of books, dolls, eating utensils, and costumes of the country.



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Pickpocket Hits C. T. C. Campus

Before a delighted audience of C.T.C. students and visitors, Elwin Shaw and his wife, Valerie, gave an exciting and mystifying performance, as certain qualified students can testify.

From producing flowers to hatching his own chickens Mr. Shaw provided hilarious entertainment for the audience. A question one might pose at the end of certain sequences was "Which came first—the chicken or the egg?" The car tricks and the rope stunts held the spectators in awe as one has never seen a rope put in such a strenuous evening.

And water never poured so freely from an empty (?) pot. Mr. Shaw also set out to prove the hand quicker than the eye but when there is a chicken under every pot one can't help but win—or vice versa.

Participants will testify that holding on to one's money, watch, or other certain valuables that are a necessity in holding oneself together, are harder to keep track of than time.

SADIE HAWKINS BIG SUCCESS

A Sadie Hawkins Dance was held April 1 in the Woodruff Auditorium. A large portion of the student body attended and enjoyed the dance. Music was provided by Farmhand Citro's Stereo.

At intermission pizza and moonshine were served by Tom Smith. The room was decorated to resemble Dogpatch and the students were dressed in clothes to fit the occasion.

Over-all Chairman of the dance was Lorna Smith, junior. Chairman of Publicity was Patti Keedy, sophomore; Refreshments Chairman, Steve Squeglia, junior; Decorations, Maryanne Hunter, sophomore; and Clean-up, Judy Yoxheimer, sophomore. Committees included: John Fisher, freshman; Evelyn Carpenter, sophomore; Erwin Nichols, junior; Jeanne Longley, junior; Paul Godette, sophomore; Cindy Murray, junior; Patricia Picchi, sophomore; Virginia Worden, sophomore; Martha Robinson, junior; Judy Barry, sophomore; Evelyn Berge, junior; and Jay Marcoux, junior.



A large number of students and faculty members attended the Annual Birthday Banquet on Wednesday evening, March 30. The Fall months won the prize for the best table decorations.

Mr. Grass To Return From Ohio State With Ph.D. Next Year

Mr. Calvin Grass, who last year was granted a year's leave of absence to study for his Doctorate was here recently on vacation from Ohio State University, in Columbus, Ohio. He plans to receive his Ph. D. in June, and will be returning to the C.T.C. campus next year as a science instructor.

Mr. Grass, whose background includes a B.A. from Boston University, a Master's Degree in Education from the University of Maine, and graduate work at Carnegie Institute of Technology, Harvard Medical School, and Union College, of Schenectady, N. Y., is majoring in Science Education with minors in Physics and in Higher Education.

In comparing the program of teacher training at Castleton with that of Ohio State, Mr. Grass said that if a person comes here, and does all the work he can, then he can come out as well prepared from Castleton as he could from Ohio State. He expressed the opinion that the student-teacher relationship is superior at C.T.C., mainly because of closer contact due to smaller classes. Being a bigger school, Ohio State is more departmentalized within the education field, an dis coordinated through the other departments. This is advantageous in that there is a

greater variety of subjects to choose from, but a drawback to this type of program is that effective communication between the departments is difficult. As far as faculty is concerned, Mr. Grass feels that the faculty here is as well qualified to teach as that of Ohio State. He mentioned the fact that often at the large universities there "are experts in subject matter and research fields, but this does not mean that they are good teachers."

An interesting sidelight was the difficulty of the parking situation at Ohio State. Mr. Grass lives on the outskirts of the city, and often has to walk at least half a mile to classes, after parking his car. Also, he brought out the fact that students there must pay the full price on books, plus a sales tax. Thus, an \$8.00 book which Castleton students get for \$6.00 would cost an Ohio student \$8.25.

Another difference between the schools is that Ohio State is on a quarter system, in which four of their quarter hours would make up three of our semester hours. One advantage of this is that there is a larger variety of courses within the same amount of time. Mr. Grass, however, prefers the semester system.

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Plans Set For Science Fair

by Frank Vara

Last year the Junior Student Teachers took part in a science fair under the direction of Mr. Bushnell. All who participated termed it an educational success and a lot of fun.

This year because the Juniors are divided into two student teaching sections, it was necessary to make a few adjustments. The present section has been contacted and asked to work out some projects with their respective classes. These projects will be set aside until the other section, which begins student teaching on the 25th of April, is contacted and has time to arrange some exhibits.

On the day of the Fair, it is hoped that students from both sections, will take charge of organizing the youngsters and the projects.

This year's Science Fair is scheduled for May 21st, and will be held in the old auditorium in Woodruff Hall from 10:00 until 3:00 o'clock. Student Teachers in the elementary section will receive application forms and additional information following the spring recess.

The student teachers in the Junior High section can expect some additional information during the early part of May.

Assisting Mr. Bushnell with this project are Betty O'Brien and Beverly Osterberg from Ellis Hall and Frank Vara from the Alice M. Morrill House. Either of the above may be contacted if any questions arise.

I. R. C. WELCOMES GUEST SPEAKER

I.R.C. will be pleased to welcome George Bergin as guest speaker on the evening of April 26. George's topic is Japan, a country in which he spent some time while serving with the Armed Forces.

The talk will cover the people of Japan, their traditions, ancient customs, and plans for the future. George will highlight his talk with slides of the country, and an interesting display of maps, articles, and pictures.

Campus Personality



Ed Fregosi

Freshman class president, Ed Fregosi, alias Honker, hails from Proctor, Vermont, where he graduated from Proctor High School in 1959. In high school Honker was active in soccer, basketball, and baseball. He was a member of the school newspaper staff, the "Sutherland," the yearbook staff, and he participated in the senior play.

At Castleton, Honker has continued his enthusiasm in sports in varsity soccer and J. V. basketball. He is also a member of the varsity "C" club, gym club, and the senate. He would like to major in physical education. Outside of school, Honker's main interest is in golf.

When interviewed Honker said he liked C.T.C. very much but would like to see the school spirit improved.

Moe: "Let's cut glass today."

Joe: "Can't. Need the sleep."—Amherst Sabrina.

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Functions Of The Senate Responsibilities

What is Student Senate? A quick answer is a group of students elected from and by the student body. But that does not tell what this group does, so let us look a little deeper!

Members of the Senate are elected by the student body. There are sixteen representatives with voting rights, and four non-voting members. The voting members are the president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer of the Student Association, the class representatives, the president of the Athletic Association, the chairmen of the three Councils. The officers' duties are centered around organizing the business to be brought up in the meetings, and keeping the reports upto date, plus conducting the meetings of the Senate, and checking up on the progress of all scheduled activities. There are two representatives from each class, one being the president of the class and the other the delegate-at-large. They are representatives from their respective classes for the purpose of discussing and planning the activities and the budget, and they also take part in much of the committee work. The other four voting members make up the backbone of the Senate.

The head of the athletic association's job is to coordinate intramural as well as inter-collegiate athletics and the sponsoring of the winter carnival. The Social Recreation Council is responsible for a major part of the entertainment and week-end activities such as the not too far away, fall formal. The Records Council keeps the records of individuals and their participation in different organizations, committees and sports up to date. The Publicity and Publications Council has full charge of all athletic and academic publicity and public relations throughout the college. Publicity and publications also send in reports to the newspaper on all the events and activities during the year. The non-voting members of the Senate are the dorm representatives, who have voice privileges, and may enter into the discussions on behalf of their respective dorms.

The experience of discussing activities, which will be, or we hope will be, most beneficial to the school, and the budgeting of funds, so that they will be spent where they will do the most good are all duties which are part of the Senate's job.

Editorial:

SPRING TIME

Spring is here, the weather becomes warmer and you have the urge to shun your books and enjoy the refreshing spring breezes. This is the time to watch out. By now you have received your mid-semester grades, for those who have made good marks. Congratulations, you may figure you can just coast along for the rest of the year and enjoy the season. This constitutes poor thinking.

For those who didn't quite make out as well as they wanted — work harder and forget the season. After all there are many more Springs to come.

After all — college is the best time of your life. Let's make it last four years and after that enjoy your Spring seasons.

C. T. C. STUDENTS FIND JOBS EARLY

Some of our Seniors have teaching positions for next year, and are anxiously waiting for September. Those having contracts are: Sylvia Alcorn, grade 3, Bennington; Art Benedict, grades 5 and 6, Reading; Tony Citro, grades 7 and 8 social studies, Bristol; Dawn Clark, grade 1, Manchester; John Kelly, grade 6, Bennington; Beulah Lanphere, grade 5, Bethel; Frank Vara, grades 7 and 8, social studies and English, Woodstock; Betty Coleman, grade 2, Bennington; Sally Roggmann, Rutland; and Dot Paul, grade 6, Bennington. Congratulations, teachers.

Note: Betty Coleman, Sally Rogg-

Mr. Grass To Return

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tem as it gives more time to get into the subject matter. He said that under the quarter system, it seemed as if you just barely got started when it was time for finals.

Included in next year's science program will be a new telescope, to be installed on the roof of the science building. This telescope, which has a twelve-inch lens was received last month, and plans are under way for the dome, which will be constructed during the summer.

Although Mr. Grass will remain in Ohio through the summer, his family will be returning to Castleton as early in June as a house can be obtained. "It was good to get back," he said, "and talk to a few people. I wish I could have talked to more, but unfortunately, there are only twenty-four hours in a day, a few of which are required for sleeping." He expressed the appreciation of Mrs. Grass and himself for the many cards they received at Christmas time from various students and faculty, and said that they all will be glad to be back in Vermont.

man and Dot Paul have teaching positions, but they had not notified the office of such when the article was written.

SYMPATHY TO MR. SWITZER.

The Spartan staff wishes to offer their deepest sympathy to Mr. Paul Switzer on the loss of his brother.

Observation---A Lab Course In Psychology

The professional life of many of C.T.C. students is now beginning through the activities of observation and participation in four demonstration schools. Part of the professional training of teachers is to observe teaching techniques of seasoned instructors. After several observations the student-teacher begins to participate in some activities.

The four schools that cooperate with Castleton Teachers College in this program are Dana, Rutland, Miss Gaynor; Center Rutland, Miss Reilly; Proctor, Miss Horan; and Castleton Corners, Mrs. Parsons.

The usual procedure is for groups from C.T.C. to go to the activities in the classrooms. Usually the observer is looking for certain things.

The sophomore program is planned

to insure twelve visits to the various schools. The sophomores are particularly looking for the various reactions of children. The sophomores as students of child psychology are mainly interested in the patterns of child development.

The junior program is planned to help the students develop a working knowledge of teaching techniques. With the knowledge of child growth firmly established, the juniors are prepared to observe the techniques used by the demonstration teacher and the reactions of the class.

This is a very important part of the training here at Castleton Teachers College. To teach children, student-teachers must know as much as possible about children and their educational growth, before actual teaching begins.

TOUGHEST KID IN THE BLOCK

--- Alone ---

by Barbara Dolan

As he stood there, alone, in the deepening shadows, he presented an impressive, if frightening, picture. His wavy hair, which was badly in need of either a permanent or a haircut, hung in loose ringlets over his high forehead. His Greek-like nose seemed, at the moment, to be snuffing some distasteful odor. And his full, pouty, lips were curled in defiance. As I watched, he glanced furtively about as if he suspected a host of enemy agents to descend on him.

Finally, after he had proved to his own satisfaction that he was alone, he began to walk stealthily in the direction of a ballfield, where a group of small-fry were just finishing an enthusiastic game of baseball. At first, he stood on the sidelines, where he assumed the casual stance of an aloof observer.

After a few moments, however, his presence was sensed by the playing children. At first, they drew together in bewildered groups where they watched him intently. Soon, however, after an embarrassing moment of silence, they draw around him, once more resuming the happy, noisy, attitude which seems to accompany all youngsters.

This was when I noticed the change that came over him. As he played with the children, his hardened features seemed to relax. For almost an hour, he romped with them, laughed with them — as though he wished he could be their age again.

All too soon, the children's mothers began to call their noisy little ball players home for summer. One by one, they went reluctantly leaving their new "playmate" behind.

It wasn't long before the ball field was completely deserted — save for one, lone figure, who stood dejectedly staring into space. Yes, the toughest kid in the block was alone once more.

It was at this moment that he saw me watching him. He gave me an insolent glance, and once more he underwent a change in expression. Now, he was a young hoodlum, again, who cared about no one or nothing. Once again, he stood straight and completely independent; his head held high, in defiance.

Abruptly, he turned and swaggered up the street, unaware that I knew. Yes, I knew that the toughest kid in the block was human. In his own way, he was kind, sympathetic and warmhearted; he was also a lonely, pathetic person who secretly longed for friendship.

Teacher Education Conference Here

During our Spring vacation the faculty members will be attending a Teacher Education Conference at Castleton. Mr. Rampone and Mr. Terry are the faculty representatives on the program committee for this event.

The Conference begins at noon on April 6. Dr. Holden will give the keynote address to teachers representing Vermont's three teachers' colleges and also to members of the University of Vermont's Education Department. There will be several speakers during the afternoon followed by an entertainment in the evening.

Thursday the faculty will attend group meetings and discussions related to educational topics.

At noon on Friday the Conference will come to a close with its final meeting.

NEWMAN CLUB

The Newman Club met March 22 in the Catholic Center for the purpose of reorganizing the club. Jerry Egan, president, conducted the meeting. The new pastor, Rev. Thomas Connors, contributed many new ideas. We know that he will be a great inspiration to the Club in the future.

At the March 29 meeting a panel discussion on the topic "The Mystical Body and the Mass," was held from which the group gained a clearer understanding of the Mass and the importance it plays in the life of a Catholic.

A three-day Retreat is being planned for the latter part of May concluding with a Newman Club Banquet.

Les Modes Parisiennes

par Mademoiselle Kathy
PRET A PORTER

Nous vous apportons du nouveau en offrant une collection de "pret a porter" signee des plus grands noms de la couture parisienne.

C'est Paris au Vermont. La collection a ete preparee et executee a Paris. Le Gout francais se reflete dans le choix exquis des tissus ainsi que dans la gamme recherchee des coloris et destons.

Vous trouverez dans la nouvelle silhouette une ampleur qui donne un drape' arrondi aux epaules et une nouvelle courbe aux manches.

Du nouveau aussi dans le modele' de la taille dans les jupes plissees et 'a godets.

Le "pret 'a porter" francais se distingue par le choix des couleurs et la beaute' expuise des tissus. Des tweeds multicolores, des imprimés qui embrassent tous les tons pastels. Coq de roche, vert mousse, gris, rose, bref c'est le printemps qui chante dans ces derniers modes.

Calendar Of Events

April—

- 1st—Sadie Hawkins
- 4th—Gym Club, 8:00
- 5-18—Spring Recess
- 23—Semi-formal
- 30—Johnson Baseball—Home

May—

- 2-3—I.R.C. Speaker
- 5—Farmington—Home
- 10—North Adams—Home
- 13—Lyndon—Away
- 14—Lyndon Teachers—Away
- 19—Senior Banquet
- 20—Gorham—Home
- 21—Senior Ball
- 26—Senior Entertainment

Across The Campus

Once again we find signs of spring on the campus of C.T.C.; the familiar road blocks have appeared as they do every year at this time. It seems we have mud, mud and more mud. Other signs have reared themselves, also. Exams, exams, and more exams. Have courage though, we only have until June 8!

This reporter wishes to extend her deepest sympathy to Carol Litster and Sally Roggman. "Elmer" (he was a hamster if you were wondering) died recently. We all miss him!

Congratulations to the editors of the Castleton. After many delays and headaches the final copies were mailed several weeks ago. We wish to extend our thanks to all those who donated their time and effort to making the yearbook possible.

Congratulations are in order, this time to Carolyn Johnson, who recently became engaged. We wish you all the best in life.

Jay, I understand that the "Skol house" is a place of great interest to you lately. This social skiing is quite a sport isn't it?

We have some adventuresome people among us of late. New York is a fascinating city, don't you agree, Flower? And Frank after much planning finally managed to get his bags packed.

Brooksie had a surprise birthday recently. (I'm not allowed to reveal her age.) However, King and Lucky were there. Sheila do you still think King resembles a "pig"?

Ellis Hall was happy to welcome Eureka Harding and Carol Baker, who spent a few days with us. Come and visit us again, girls.

Tony, do you have trouble keeping track of appointments. Three "engagements" in one night. What is your secret? Maybe others would like to know.

Fabians has added a new member to its corps. John Wu made the big move recently.

Trudy, I understand you are having trouble with Suzy again! This time she (Suzy) stopped and wouldn't budge. But, cheer up Trudy, we love her anyway.

Madean White has "retired" from the Gymkhana, but not without just cause. Just ask her how she acquired the crutches.

Martha Robinson and Polly Ames have become lovers of the great outdoors. Tell me girls, isn't scooter riding a little chilly on these cold April days?



Does your supervisor
drive a blue car?

Cumulative Basketball Statistics

Summary
by Don Orvis

Player	Games Played	Field Goals	Free Throws	Rebounds	Total Points
Carter	10	68	25	15	162
Emerson	18	37	25	64	99
Daley	17	41	21	100	103
Barsalow	19	62	5	32	129
Fabian	5	16	10	54	42
Orvis	9	18	20	61	56
Iusi	19	87	63	251	240
Toomey	19	13	45	52	271
Goddett	17	18	6	14	42
Barth	9	40	15	39	104
Saunders	11	7	1	9	15
Taft	11	1	0	5	2
Pedro	10	25	22	21	72
Pietkyka	1	1	0	1	2
Symerski	1	2	5	0	9

All for
Single Game

Most points by one player Carter (31)
Most rebounds by one player Iusi (23)
Most free throws scored by one player Iusi (8)
Record 11 wins
8 losses

Women's Sports

The badminton tournament ended March 25. Bev Osterberg won over Betty O'Brien 11-12, 11-6, and 11-9.

In the first game Betty led all the way, with Bev tying it at 10 all, and then Betty went on to win 12-11. The second game was easily won by Bev, but the last game was an equal match, with both girls getting in good services, and drives. The score was close all the way and it was anybody's game.

The consolation winner was Marie Bell.

Since Miss Ewald thought we were going on a vacation a week earlier, not much has been planned for the girls the next few days. The gym will be open for badminton, volleyball, basketball, and gymnastics — take your choice and get some other girls to go over with you.

The sign up sheet for softball is going up before vacation. Don't forget to sign as we need several girls, because most of the team was lost through graduation. Show up your SCHOOL SPIRIT — in the SOFTBALL FIELD.

Campus Improvements

by Frank Vara

Throughout the year many improvements have been made in the buildings and on the campus, improvements welcomed by both the faculty and the students alike. Last fall, the road leading in from Seminary Street was widened and coated with a rock covering. The road leading to the new gym was widened and prepared for a covering. The landscaping at the gym was given attention and some hard-top was laid at the main entrance to the auditorium. Various parking areas were made larger to accommodate the ever increasing number of cars. All of these improvements on the campus grounds have relieved many dangerous points and have at the same time beautified the campus.

Within the buildings various changes have been taking place. Dr. Dundas' office was given a much needed coat of paint and the numerous blackboards were taken down. Dean Black's office received the same treatment. Perhaps the most significant change is the tile on the main corridor of Woodruff Hall. The new settees in the main corridor are also a welcomed addition.

Morrill House is enjoying the services of a new furnace and recently, two new lights were placed at the entrance.

The Leavenworth men are enjoying the use of a two-way speaker and a recreation room.

Recently, an intercommunication system was installed in the dining room and is greatly appreciated by all those who had the embarrassing experience of yelling a notice to the student body.

Within the limits of the kitchen, the cafeteria line has been reorganized to speed up serving, the soup machine, formerly located outside the meat room has been brought into the kitchen and is expected to be in use soon.

The library has undergone many changes. A new set of encyclopedias was recently purchased. Outdated books have been discarded and as money becomes available, new ones are replacing them. The entire organization of the books and magazines has been revised. The most recent addition to the library is the Microfilm Machine. With this machine it is possible to secure film on which documents, printed pages, etc. are photographed in a reduced size for the convenience in storage and transportation. This will allow the library department to increase various circulations, without overtaxing the present crowded conditions.

The A.V.A. department has received some much needed equipment — two Kodak projectors, two screens, and an Opaque projector.

Just before the Christmas recess, the old Ford station wagon was replaced with a new one. A second hand truck was obtained, also, for the Maintenance department after the old pick-up gave out.

Odds And Ends

Friday night another sock hop was held at the new auditorium, but very few attended the event. Come on kids!!!! What is the matter with our school spirit? If more students do not attend these events they will not be held.

Girls, by now you should all have your dates for the Sadie Hawkins dance. Fun will be had by everyone, so lets all go and capture our farmers.

New Club is well on its way for a brighter few months of this school year. Many members are attending and big events are scheduled to occur. So, anyone interested, be sure to try and attend. It is held Tuesdays every other week.

Most of the Seniors are having interviews for jobs for the coming year. May we extend our congratulations for those who already have their positions. Others, Don't Give Up The Ship!!!!

The weekend of March 23-28, eleven students from C.T.C. attended the Eastern States Conference in Education that was held in New York. All stayed at the Hotel New Yorker and conferences were held there also. Wonderful time was enjoyed by all!!!

All of us here at C.T.C. have noticed how bad the road is from the Science Building to Woodruff. Many a car has gotten stuck in the mud — right Marie????? However, it has been heard around campus that this summer a new road is going to be put in. We all do hope that this is true!!!!

S. C. A.

The last few weeks the Student Christian Association has been holding business meetings and worship services.

On March 29th, "Light in the Jungle" was shown. It was about a jungle savage chief who was about to make an animal sacrifice to appease the spirits as his boy was desperately ill, and he did not want him to die. A missionary tried to explain to the savage chief that Christ is the only sacrifice that avails. The missionary finally reached the savage. The chief saw the Light and bowed to the new found Spirit of Christ.

DISCRETION

Oh when I was a callow youth
I vowed were I a teacher
To do away with little jokes
My Teachers used to feature.

Expectantly in class I'd sit
'Til some old joke was uttered
And then I'd laugh because I knew
Just where my bread was buttered.

I laughed once more with glee
And when I heard that joke again
And for my great forbearance got
A bachelor's degree.

So students, when the work is hard,
Just heed my little lesson,
If you can't pass the course with A's
Just pass it with discretion!

—Ohio Sundial.



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Dr. Freeman I. R. C.

On the evening of May 2, the International Relations Club will welcome Dr. Stephen A. Freeman, Vice President of Middlebury College, as guest speaker.

Dr. Freeman's topic for the evening will be "Africa Today."

The talk will be illustrated with films taken by Dr. Freeman during his recent tour. One might say this talk will range from "Antelope to Zulus" as it will cover nearly every phase of the country, its topography, its people, its wildlife.

Told in Dr. Freeman's own interesting and stimulating way, the "story" of Africa should be a new and open window to this vast continent so long a place of mystery in our world.

Science Fair Information

by Frank Vara

Information and Application forms concerning the forthcoming science fair have been distributed to the Elementary Student Teachers. They have been asked to plan individual or group projects with their classes.

The fair will take place on Saturday, May 21st, from 10:00 until 3:00 in the Woodruff Auditorium. Many of the student teachers in the Junior High section, have arranged to have exhibits.

The deadline for all applications has been set for Saturday, May 14th. Application forms should be turned in to either, Betty O'Brien, Bev Osterberg, Frank Vara or Mr. Bushnell.

SENIOR JOBS

Since the last issue of *The Spartan*, several more seniors have signed contracts for teaching next year. They are: Llewellyn Adams, grades 7 and 8, Bridport; Marilyn Brooks, grades 7, 8 and 9, Girls' Physical Education, Brattleboro; Mary Carley, grade 1 in Ludlow; Bertram Coolidge, grades 7, 8 and 9, Science and Math, Brandon; George Curtis, grades 5 and 6, Proctor; William Eaton, grade 6, Chester; Dorothy Gecha, grade 4, Ludlow; Elaine Hogaboom, grade 3, South Burlington; Gertrude Landry, grade 4 in Dorset; Kathleen McCarthy, grade 3, Rutland; John McCormack, grades 7 and 8, Social Studies, Chester;

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Attend Student Teaching Conference

by Frank J. Vara

On April 24, Dr. Hinckley, Mr. Bushnell, Mr. Johnson and Frank Vara attended the third annual Conference On Student Teaching at the Montpelier High School. The theme of the conference was, "Improving Student Teaching in Vermont." Colleges represented were Lyndon, Johnson and Castleton Teachers Colleges, Goddard College, University of Vermont, Saint Michael's College, Norwich University, and Middlebury College.

The conference began with an address from Miss Gertrude Hanley, from the Rhode Island College of Education, President of The Association for Student Teaching. Her topic was, "Current Trends in Student Teaching." She spoke of the many types of student teaching programs in operation at the present time. What works well with one college, she said, may not work well with another. At R.I.C.E. one of the features of the program is the use of a Campus Lab School. It is here that students observe the theory and practice that are taught in the college. The school is used as a research center and is a place where beginning students try-out new things.

Miss Hanley felt that teachers college students should have the most stimulating college instructors available. College instructors should attempt to encourage and stimulate the student to carry out experiments and to be creative.

She spoke of the gifted teacher as one who was alert and opens the door to adventurous learning for her young people. She said, "Remember, youngsters of today will be the space travelers of tomorrow."

The aid for training teachers should be, "Excellence in quality"; individualize the student teacher to meet the needs of the young people.

A panel of delegates from the attending colleges, led by Mrs. Doris Demick, state Helping Teacher, discussed the subject, "Strengths and Weaknesses in Student Teaching." Mrs. Demick arranged a little skit, that stressed a weak relationship between the co-operating teacher and the student teacher. At the conclusion of the skit, the panel discussed the weakness of the co-operating teacher and her impression upon the student teacher. It was up to the panel to show how their college program would not have allowed such a predicament to exist. The panel discussed such points as the orientation of the co-operating teacher to the student teaching program; selectivity of the co-operating teacher; stricter oversight of the student teacher on the part of the co-operating teacher; compensation for the co-operating teacher; more conferences between the co-operating teacher, the college supervisor and the student teacher; the need of closer supervision on the part of the co-operating teacher.

It was enlightening to observe the similarities in philosophies of the three teachers college delegates. When the idea of keeping the co-operating teacher out of the room, as much as possible, came up, the teachers college people rejected such a plan. They felt that a good co-operating teacher helps one to grow and evaluate progress and that it isn't right for a student teacher to think that he can come into a classroom and take over, using completely new and unfamiliar methods. The students involved must be taken into consideration. A period of observation, now used by the three teachers colleges, before taking over lessons, was thought to be the best remedy to this problem. With this plan, the student teacher has the opportunity to view some of the techniques used and the attitudes of the children. It was suggested by another delegate that creativity is hindered when one has to follow through on someone else's methods. However, the teachers college people rallied back with the statement that in student teaching the main objectives are to learn how to present and organize material, carry on classroom procedure and routines, understand the young people involved and use a certain amount of creativity. When one is in his or her own situation, creativity can be used to any extent. Under the present plan of student teaching, time is set aside for the teaching of a unit. This affords the beginning student teacher to use creativity as much as he sees fit.

During the early part of the afternoon, the large group in attendance, divided into "Buzz Groups," and discussed the subject, "What can we effectively apply to our Student Teaching Program."

At the conclusion of the "Buzz Sessions," the audience heard an address from Dr. Robert Long, president of Lyndon Teachers College. He was scheduled to

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ELECTIONS SOON!

by Dick Burke

The end of the year is again approaching, and it is time to start thinking about the election of next year's Student Association Officers.

For the first time at Castleton Teachers College, the Student Senate will not run the general elections. Instead, they will be run by the members of Alpha Lambda. These members include Sylvia Aleorn, Don Boardman, Evie Berge, Mary Carley, Elaine Hogaboom, Bev Osterberg, Bob Peck, Tom Snyder and Dorwin Stoddard.

To sponsor a candidate, an individual must obtain a petition from any member of Alpha Lambda and get at least twenty signatures on it. These petitions must be turned in not later than May 2, 1960.

On Wednesday, May 4, each candidate must deliver a speech dealing with his platform for election, along with his fitness, before the student body at a place designated by the Student Senate. Elections will be held for the six major offices with an Australian Ballot on May 5. Elections for minor offices will be held May 6.

Those interested in running for any of the major offices—which include President of the Student Association, President of the Athletic Association, the three Council Chairmen, and Student Court Judge—must achieve a scholastic index for previous and/or current semester of not less than 2.5. Candidates for other offices must have an index of 2.0.

If we are to have a good group of officers to serve us, we must be very particular which candidate we vote for. Choose the one that will give generously of his time to serve the serious purposes of each office.

'Hangs Over Thy Head'

On May 17, 1960, the students of Castleton Teachers College will be entertained with an evening of drama, music and art in the new auditorium.

The Castleton players will present "HANGS OVER THY HEAD" written by Ruth Berkeley, a comedy in one act. This will be directed by Mr. Saul Elkin. The cast of this play is as follows:

Anne—Bobbie McGafflin

Brett—Al Blastos

Boris—Jerry Lentini

Victoria—Lynn Brooks

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

On Saturday, April 23, the Junior Class sponsored a dance, "Cherry Pink and Apple Blossom Time." All day Saturday was spent decorating the Dining Room to say nothing about the time that was spent preparing and planning for the dance. The class hired a six-piece Dance Band and the dance was attended by only twenty couples. Next weekend the people in the school will be complaining because there is nothing to do; the school never has any entertainment. The people who do the complaining are the ones who never do anything but sit back to let the same few do everything. When something is planned for your benefit, hardly anyone attends—What's the matter with CTC school spirit??? I think that the Junior Class should be congratulated on the excellent job they did on the dance and if the student body wants to continue having entertainments it's about time they started attending to show their appreciation. "One Who Was There"

HANGS OVER THY HEAD

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Playwright—Tom Ranney

Philip—

Stage Manager—Mary Lou Bruehl

During the same evening, the Green Mountain College Drama Club will present FUMED OAK also directed by Mr. Saul Elkin. Mr. Elkin will also act in this play.

The Castleton College Band under the direction of Mr. Almon Bushnell and Mr. Robert Aborn will play short selections and Mr. Jack Smith's Wednesday evening art class will exhibit their paintings.

On May 18, 1960, the two plays will again be presented at Green Mountain College.

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Republican or Democrat Cherry Pink And Apple Blossom White

by Steve Squeglia

Although in the annals of Vermont history it has been proven by one election after another that this is a strong Republican state, a brief survey of the student body of Castleton State shows a slight edge toward the Democratic party and its candidates in the presidential primaries. No one Democratic candidate has been singled out as a possible president-elect. The views, however, toward Nixon defeating any Democratic candidate are negative.

Along the Democratic line of thinking Kennedy is slightly favored over Hubert Humphrey. There is also a lot of speculation on the fact that Adlai Stevenson might be brought in at the last moment as a "dark-horse" for the Democrats. This, it is felt, will be done only in the event that the party might split over which candidate (Kennedy or Humphrey) would be nominated. It is generally felt that Stevenson will not be asked to run unless the situation warranting this move becomes urgent.

In a like manner the students showing a favor for the Republican party show very little enthusiasm over the fact that Nixon is the Republican choice, although he is the natural choice for successor to the presidency of the United States.

There seems to be a great favor shown toward Governor Rockefeller of New York. This is probably due to the fact that he is trying to improve the educational standards of his state by channeling the 10% telephone tax in this direction.

To briefly sum up the situation as it stands today, there is a slight bit more than a majority leaning towards the Democrats in general, but with the right man in for the Republicans the tide of public opinion could easily be turned.

Reporter's note—Remember, the students of today are the voters of tomorrow.

On Saturday evening, April 23, C.T.C. students enjoyed the spring-like atmosphere of the Junior dance. From 8 to 11 students whirled their way around the Dining Hall which was transformed into a land of "Cherry Pink and Apple Blossom Time" to the music of the Granville band.

A special tip of the hat goes to Steve Squeglia who acted as dance chairman. Refreshments were served by Evie Berge, Erwin Nichols, and Steve Squeglia.

The decoration committee did a fine job with Lorna Smith acting as chairman of the committee. She was assisted by Evie Berge, Sandy Garron, Marie Oliva, Jane Martin, Larry Cook, Erwin Nichols, Pat Keedy, Bill Foley, and Dick Burke.

Donna Harvey and Dorwin Stoddard headed the clean-up committee. Those helping them were Erwin Nichols, Steve Squeglia, and Lorna Smith.

The Terrys, Miss Ewald, and Dean Black acted as chaperons.

Co-Ed Dictionary

by Gretchen Harrison

BIG WEEKEND

Dates with three different guys—one Friday, one Saturday and one Sunday.

BIRD DOG

Guy who's not only a dog but is for the birds.

BULLETIN BOARD

Girl down the hall who tells who was out with whom and what they did.

CAMPUSED

Great excuse to avoid going out with a clod.

CRAM

What a coed does when she is able to get four or five dates in during just one weekend.

PINNED

Coed's clothing after being at school for a month.

Elementary Majors Begin Student Teaching

by Patti Keedy

On April 25th, a dismal and dreary day, twenty-six eager and enthusiastic Juniors set out for their long-awaited first glimpse into the Professional World. They were off for six weeks of Student Teaching in the various schools in this district. The Junior High group finished their six weeks of teaching April 5th, and this group are our Elementary Majors.

The following students began April 25th:

Grace Baker, Hill School, Sudbury-Orwell District, Grades 1, 2 and 3.

Marie Bell, Northwest, Rutland, Grade 3.

Joan Cornell, Lincoln, Rutland, Grade 1.

Janet Disorder, Village, Orwell, Grades 4-5.

Nan Fowler, Village, Castleton, Grade 2.

Rose Giroux, Dana, Rutland, Grade 2.

Jean Irons, Rural, West Haven, Grades 1-8.

Jane Jennings, Fair Haven, Grade 5.

Jeanne Longley, Northwest, Rutland, Grade 1.

Jay Marcoux, Fair Haven, Grade 1.

Fern Mills, Lincoln, Rutland, Grade 4.

Cynthia Murray, Northwest, Rutland, Grade 2.

Martha Robenson, South, Fair Haven, Grade 3-4.

Lorna Smith, South, Fair Haven, Grade 1.

Kathy Canney, Dana, Rutland, Grade 3.

Donna Harvey, Castleton Corners, Grades 1-3.

Nancy Herzog, Fair Haven, Grade 2.

Catherine Johnson, Lincoln, Rutland, Grade 2.

Teresa Lanthier, Center Rutland, Grade 4-5.

Shirley LaPlaca, Village, Hubbardton, Grade 1-8.

Carole Lee Malcolm, Lincoln, Rutland, Grade 3.

Mrs. Alice Parker, Dana, Rutland, Grade 4.

Elizabeth Rowe, Park Street, Rutland, Grade 3.

Mike Russo, Village, Wells, Grade 1-4.

Anna Senecal, Dana, Rutland, Grade 1.

Mary Taylor, Southwest, Rutland, Grade 3.

GOOD LUCK, JUNIORS!!!!

LOOKING AT STYLES with Kathy

Here is the way the new summery dresses bounce: in the crisp, freshly starched look of gingham and nursery cottons, cut however with a calculated grown-upness that contradicts their seeming naivete.

The sugar and spice look reaches adulthood this season. A blue cotton dress printed with tiny white flowers has a huge skirt, scoop neck, and "just for fun" an apron of white cotton banded with lace and buttons over it.

Pink and white gingham, (you know who made it famous) shaped along very demure lines with a buttoned up bodice and three-quarter sleeves and a full bouncy hemline gives a cool, summery effect.

Every ounce is bounce! Another of the high spirited dresses that won't stay on the ground is a graph-checked red and white voile, the parachuting skirt circled deep in white organdy. (For more buoyancy wear mounds and mounds of petticoats.)

Seersucker is one of the spring's brightest surprises; prints are bursting out all over the famous crinkly cotton. Still carefree, it now has the butterflies and flowers working for it. The results??? A nacent softness, new scopes, new scoops . . .

Campus Personality



Amicable and likeable tend to describe sophomore class president, Dick Burke. Dick lives in Rutland, Vermont, where he graduated from Rutland High School.

At Castleton, Dick is active as *The Spartan's* assistant editor, A. A. treasurer, Eastern States Delegate, member of the Social Recreation Committee, Publicity Council, and although he'd like to forget it sometimes, Dick is the school bus driver. He is a floor counsellor at Leavenworth Hall, and has played soccer for CTC.

Varsity C Club Plans Gala Weekend

by Nick Nichols

On March 23rd, the Varsity C Club met and made plans for a weekend of fun for we Castleton students. The weekend is planned for May sixth and seventh, and along with the Varsity C, the cheerleaders will also help.

The weekend is to start Friday evening with a "Splash Party" at the Green Mountain swimming pool. In the event that the pool should become unavailable a bus will be going to Rutland, and the students may take in a movie or go bowling. Tennis matches are also planned for the weekend.

On Saturday afternoon an outing is planned at Lake St. Catherine. This is to be followed by a "Ship Wreck" dance at the Lake St. Catherine dance hall.

John Taft was elected to see if the swimming pool and dance hall will be available. Committees for the dance include: Posters, John Taft and Gary Quinn; decorations, Gene Oliver, Tom Lazatera, Bob Iusi, Ed Fergosi, and Jerry Toomey; and in charge of selling soda will be Mike Barsalow and Pete Burroughs. John Taft will also check on late leaves, GIRLS!!!

The Varsity C Club and cheerleaders hope that there will be a large turnout at all the functions, "Splash Party," Outing and "Ship Wreck" dance. The more students that attend these functions means more FUN for everyone. We are sure there will be fun had by all. So come on, gang, let's see everyone there!

SENIOR JOBS

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Beverly Osterberg, grade 7, Williams-town; Gary Quinn, grades 7 and 8, Ludlow.

Dorothy Richardson, grade 4, Manchester; Leonard Socinski, grades 7, 8 and 9, Math and Science, Shoreham; Dorothy White, grade 4, Proctor; Nancy White, grade 2, Middlebury; Alvera Blodgett, Elementary, Rensselaer, New York; John Taft, grade 8, Vergennes; Edward Fabian, Orwell, grades 7 and 8, and Boys' Physical Education; Thomas Snyder, grade 5, Dorset; Elizabeth O'Brien, grades 7 and 8 and Girls' Physical Education, Orwell; and George Daley, grades 7 and 8 in North Pownal. Those who graduated last January and have teaching positions are Frank Affinito and James Hewitt, both in Comstock, New York; and Lee Carter, grades 5, 6, 7 and 8 in Marlboro.

Final Edition Of CTC Cruiser

by B. O'Brien

On Thursday evening, May 12, in the new auditorium, the Senior Class will present the final edition of the CTC Cruiser. Once again the theme will be "Around The World."

Stereophonic sound and all brilliance (supplied by Earl Brown of Ludlow) will provide the background for the procession of new acts as well as some of the old "favorites" presented through the previous three years.

"Around The World" is under the direction of Tony Citro and Betty O'Brien with a cast of a countless number of Seniors. The show is under the supervision of Mr. Chandler Mosher.

The evening will open with the strains of the ever popular "Around The World" followed by the arrival of the passengers and the cast-off. From here we get a birds-eye view of what great celebrities choose to ride our humble ship. Then it's down the coast to New Orleans with its gamblers and battles. With a brief visit to the West we steal away to Latin America for a full production with rhythm providing the basis for the brilliantly executed dances of these countries. Hawaii again provides a stepping stone where the "Goils" are found in abundance(?) In the Orient a new thrill has been added in the persons of the "Wong Wong" family and their daring exhibition of acrobatics and versatility on the mats.

In Spain we find the Matador and "friend" in a great deal of difficulty trying to prove which is greater—Man or beast. Swiftly we proceed up the coast to another production in the country of France.

There the haunting refrains of the Chanteuse are climaxed by the ever popular Can-Can Girls.

With a brief jaunt to the United Kingdom we proceed home to the U.S.A., but not before we hear the wail of "Shrimp Boats" and see the Ticker Tape parade set to welcome the final cruise ever to be taken by the CTC Cruiser.

Odds And Ends

Ellis Hall has a new addition which is making the girls very happy. Arriving on April 21st was a bouncing, brand new 21-inch television set. Since the moment it arrived it has been on continuously and everyone is certainly enjoying it.

The next entertainment that will be seen at CTC is the Freshman Show. Many of them have been practicing very hard and I bet that a lot of good talent will be discovered. This is really something to look forward to.

ATTEND STUDENT TEACHING CONFERENCE

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speak on, "Next Steps in Student Teaching." However, he won permission of the audience to speak on "The Future of the Teachers Colleges."

In brief, Dr. Long stated that the teachers colleges are presently meeting the demands of teachers in Vermont. The greatest shortage is in the field of specialized teachers. He spoke of the great demand of teachers trained in the teachers colleges. This will continue. Vermont does not expect a population explosion, however, but does expect a gradual increase. By 1963-1964 the first grade will have reached its peak. By 1973-1976 the enrollment at the senior high school will have reached its peak. Dr. Long does not feel that after these calculated peaks have been reached enrollment will drop off.

He spoke of the necessity of getting the three teachers colleges accredited. In order to meet this challenge, the colleges must have a greater operational budget. Dr. Long revealed the move the Assembly made upon learning of the new tuition charges at the teachers colleges. It seems that when the tuition came into being, the Assembly's appropriation went down, thus, not allowing the teachers colleges any added revenue.

The time has come when the teachers colleges must offer other missions in order to attract the young people. Lyndon is planning a new two year program next fall; Castleton attempted to include a nursing program.

Talk of closing either one of the teachers colleges is "Puppy Talk" stated Dr. Long. We must practice co-ordination rather than consolidation.

How will these increases in operational costs be met? Dr. Long states that we need to increase state support. Tuition aids a great deal, for example, at Lyndon, tuition and other money paid in by the students, covers one half the expenses needed to operate the college. At present, the state appropriates one half million dollars to operate the three teachers colleges and the entire department of Education. This should be doubled, he stated.

Where will the state get the money for future needs of the colleges. The only way is to borrow from the bank. Construct income producing buildings (Dorms, etc.) If given enough time to make payments, these buildings pay for themselves.

It was again enlightening to learn that the aims of the colleges are to work together and provide for the State of Vermont, a broadly educated person capable of meeting and facing the situations of the state today. The 1961 Assembly must face up to the problems facing our educational system and attempt in some way to meet these problems immediately.

EDUCATION FOR WHAT?

ESAPT Keynote Address

by Francis H. Horn,
President, University of R. I.

Since I have moved from a discussion of education in general to that of higher education, let me consider some answers to the question, "Education—for What?" that are especially relevant for higher education. I wish to consider certain values which I believe will inhere in the best education regardless of the vast changes that are occurring in the world. These values are objectives of higher education for the individuals. To a lesser degree, of course, they are the objectives of education at all levels. Their formation, in any case, is laid in the elementary and secondary schools. These values do not and will not change.

It should be emphasized that, while the values themselves endure essentially without regard to time or place or level of development, at least within the framework of what we call Western civilization the means of inculcating these values, of attaining these objectives, may certainly change. In fact college and university administrations and faculties must guard against a tendency to cling to traditional but outmoded policies, programs, and practices when an evolving world requires their modification.

What are these enduring values which colleges and universities must preserve and foster? The values are intellectual and cultural, moral and spiritual—but they are not essentially vocational values. Preparation for specific vocations is an essential and important part of the task of every university. Those who decry vocationalism in higher education do the colleges and universities a great disservice and are blind to the realities of the present-day world. Never before was specialized training for specific occupations so important. But these practical studies must be joined to liberal studies in a broad and integrated curriculum. The teaching of the practical studies, moreover, must always be infused with the liberal spirit. When so taught, such studies may help to develop the qualities of mind and spirit which are the earmarks of the educated man, but vocational studies alone, however well taught, cannot produce those humane values which endure regardless of the nature of our society and the extent of our technological development.

The first and most important objective of higher education, so far as the individual is concerned, is to educate the student to think—to think for himself. No thinking machine can long be a substitute for man thinking. Automation will never supplant the human brain and make it obsolete;

the future, in fact, will make even greater demands on man's mental powers. Colleges must above all endeavor to develop the student's ability to think; they must help him see that the objective of thinking is truth and that the ultimate goal of the educated man is truth in action.

The second value that endures in a changing world is a cultural value—beauty. The colleges have as one of their primary objectives—all too frequently neglected—the teaching of the student to have an understanding and appreciation of beauty in its manifold forms. If in the process the student can be led to creative activity of his own, so much the better, but such activity is not essential to an experience of beauty. It is particularly important that we try to develop such aesthetic sensitivity in our students that they will no longer tolerate the drabness and the ugliness that surrounds our daily lives but rather strive to make color and beauty more pervasive in the new world that we are creating.

But in providing an "education," colleges must be concerned with more than the intellect and the emotional qualities that respond to beauty. The development of the intellect and the sharpening of the aesthetic sense must be infused with moral and spiritual qualities. These the colleges cannot neglect. These also are values which endure regardless of the sweep of history and the changing conditions of the world. They must be reaffirmed in our times or mankind may indeed find itself not in any fabulous future but in hopeless chaos.

The moral value that is the goal of education may be summed up in the word "integrity." It goes beyond honesty and it implies courage. It must be admitted that colleges do not know well how to develop integrity; certainly there is no pat formula for it. It is undoubtedly less susceptible to direct teaching than is the ability to think and we know little enough of this process. Yet we must do our best to develop integrity in our students. It is a quality that is indispensable if a better and happier world is to come.

Finally there is spiritual value—and its objective can best be expressed as "love." The concept of love is the most important single contribution of the Christian tradition to our value system. Christ taught us to love God and to love our neighbor. And in this shrunken world, as I have pointed out, neighbor means man wherever he is, regardless of the color of his skin, the language he speaks, or the political system he adheres to.

Institutions of higher education, let it be understood, cannot alone inculcate the moral and spiritual virtues

THE SEASON STARTS



Third row: Sanders, Ingalls, Barber, Pietryka, Fish, Fabian
Second row: Fisher, Bergin, Eaton, Barth, Smyrski
First row: Nichols, Ward, Lazetera, Barsalow, Presley, Carrara

necessary for today's world and tomorrow's. But they have a major part in the process.

Truth, beauty, integrity, love—these are values that will endure so long as man survives. His way of life will change materially. But so long as man is man he will need to seek the truth and live by its dictates, to discover beauty and to infuse his life with its glory, to walk upright as a man of integrity and to expect his fellow men to do the same, and to learn how to live with God and with his neighbor—who is man everywhere—in accordance with those spiritual admonitions which, transcending the here and the now, endure through the ages.

It is given to teachers, whether in colleges or in the elementary and secondary schools, to help young people establish a life solidly constructed upon these enduring values. Theirs is the great task of our time. In no other profession are the opportunities so challenging. In no other job is the contribution that can be made to society so significant or so long-lasting. But to meet this challenge, to make this contribution, teachers have to be committed themselves to these enduring values and demonstrate them not just by what they say, but by what they do in their own lives. If they do so, then education will fulfill its great role, it will truly be the major factor in the avoidance of catastrophe and the achievement of the good life the future promises for all of mankind.

Correction

It was printed in the last edition of *The Spartan* that Mr. Grass would receive his Ph.D. from Ohio State University, he will only finish his required courses but not his dissertation.

Women's Sports

Spring has come, girls, how about some hiking, horseback riding or softball? All good exercises for us—we do too much sitting, so the doctors say.

To get a credit in hiking you have to walk 20 miles with not less than 2 miles and not more than 10 miles at one time. For horseback riding you need 10 hours of riding, not less than 3 times and not more than 4 hours at one time. For forms to record these see Virginia Worden.

There is talk about having a tennis tournament this year. How about it, girls??? Let's show our interest and sign up right away.

Plans for softball intermurals are underway for next month, with a possibility of some games with other colleges, but we need YOUR support first. Several girls graduated last year, so show us your interest by coming to the softball field Monday and Wednesday, every week.

Bev Osterberg and Marilyn Brooks have been assisting local high schools with basketball. Bev coached West Rutland girls' team and officiated for the Rutland and Fair Haven High School game. Marilyn Brooks also officiated at the Fair Haven High-Rutland High game.

Co-Ed Dictionary

POP QUIZ

Questions asked by coed's father as to why???

RUSHING

Hurrying into the dorm to sign in.

SEE YA AROUND CAMPUS

Out of my life, out-of-it!

TWEEDY

Guy whose shoes squeak, whose jacket scratches and whose pipe smells.

—Penn State Froty



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Fifth Annual Conference Of Presidents & Deans

50 To 60 Attend

by Frank Vara

On Friday and Saturday, May 13th and 14th, Castleton Teachers College will be host to between 40 and 50 presidents and deans representing teachers colleges in eight northeastern states.

The group of educators will discuss such problems as, "Transition to State College," "Admissions Requirements," "Student Teaching," "Class Section Size," "Faculty Salaries and Teaching Loads," "Liberal Arts and Certification Requirements," and "Relations with State Board and State Government." Each of these problems, practices and policies pertain exclusively to teachers colleges.

This meeting is unique in that it has no scheduled speeches and no published report of the discussions. It merely is a meeting where the various heads of the colleges can interchange information.

The *Spartan* staff would like to welcome all the representatives from the various colleges to the Castleton Campus.

Orientation Group Helps Incoming Frosh

The Orientation Committee for next fall has been chosen and is as follows: Marilyn Spencer, Bobby Dolan, Lona Guyett, Diane Grant, Sara Farnum, Patti Keedy, Sandy Garron, Chris Bromley, Joan Barrows, Bonnie Thorburn, Marie Goodwin, Sandy Davenport, Maureen McCormack, Carol Ianni, Pat Augulia, John Fisher, Bob Ward, Gordon Kangas, Tim Russell, Jerry Egan, Mickey Jackson, John Barth, George Bergin, and Judy Yoxtheimer, Chairman.

The purpose of this committee is to help the incoming frosh get adjusted to college life, provide a sort of initiation and various entertainments for them, and to help them get acquainted with each other, the student body, and the faculty.

During this time the freshmen are tested; various entertainments and activities are sponsored for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Crusoe



Mr. and Mrs. Terry were chosen Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Crusoe at the recent "Ship Wreck" Dance. Miss Jody Barrows presented the gift to the winning couple.

Welcome High Schoolers!

All the young, unfamiliar faces to be seen around the campus on Friday, May 20, will be those of the students from the various high schools in the vicinity who will be attending Freshman Day. The purpose of this day is to acquaint the high school students with the teaching profession and college life on the C.T.C. campus.

To achieve this goal a program has been set up which will include a tour of the campus and classes and a talk by Dr. Dundas or Dean Black. The talk will be followed by informal discussion groups led by members of the committee, during which time the students will be given an opportunity to ask any questions they may have

concerning teaching and the social and academic life of the college. After a cafeteria lunch there will be testing and interviews for those who are applying for enrollment this coming year. Later in the afternoon the students will be invited to a tea in the Leavenworth Lounge. They will also be invited to cheer the Spartans on to victory in a home baseball game with before ending their day at Castleton.

Carolyn Johnson and Barbara Duchane are co-chairmen of Freshman Day. Working on the committee with them are Betty Paquette, Maureen Sullivan, Barbara Fallon, Lois Hill, Beverly Osterberg, Betty Coleman, and Don Boardman.

I. R. C. Hears Dr. Freeman Describe Visit To Africa

One of the most outstanding speakers of the International Relations Club season, Dr. Stephen Freeman, Vice President of Middlebury College, spoke Monday evening, May 2, on the topic, "Africa Today."

Beginning with a description of the countries he visited in Africa, Nigeria, the Union of South Africa, and Tanganyika, Dr. Freeman told of the impressions African people have of Americans, and the striving for independence and better education in this part of the world.

The films which Dr. Freeman presented to us along with his talk were superb, showing most realistically the homes, landscapes, and tribal rituals. Especially interesting were those films taken in the national reserves, where the wild animals of Africa were shown in their natural habitats. Excellent glimpses were also given of the tiny pygmies and their jungle homes.

The evening was a most delightful and informative one and one came away feeling that he had a better understanding of the vast continent known as Africa.

Commencement Ball To Honor Senior Class

by Steve Squeglia

On Saturday, May 21st, from 8 to 12 p.m., the Commencement Ball will be given in honor of the senior class. A buffet dinner will be served at 9:00 and will be followed by dancing to Tom Keefe and his orchestra until 12:00.

All of this will take place on Lake Bomoseen at the Pine Cliff Lodge.

Invitations are necessary for this dinner dance because the exact number going is important to insure enough food for all.

The invitations can be obtained from Evie Berge and Marie Oliva of Ellis Hall or Larry Cook and Steve Squeglia of Morrill House.

Through the generosity of Social Rec and Senate, favors will be given to the girls attending this Dinner-Dance.

Lawrence Rutahakana Speaks On East Africa

An unusual program was presented by the International Relations Club on Monday, May 3, when Lawrence L. Rutahakana, a student at Saint Michael's College spoke to members of the college and I.R.C. about the people and culture of his country—Tanganyika, East Africa. He is studying in the U. S. under the sponsorship of Bukaba Native Cooperative Union, Tanganyika. This is a statutory body having sole power to run the coffee industry in the West Lake Province of Tanganyika, supervising about seventy cooperative societies.

While in Tanganyika, Mr. Rutahakana was employed by Bukaba Native Coffee Board and Bukaba Native Cooperative Union. He was a member of the Native (African) Administration Council of the West Lake Province. He is the author of two books on Theology in Swahili. He is married, and the father of four children. His sponsors hope that he will be able to complete his Master's degree before returning home and five American Universities have already admitted him to their graduate schools.

Tanganyika has a number of flourishing cities although Hollywood still pictures it to Americans as a "jungle land" just as it portrays the United States as a land of Indians, cowboys to Africans. Language is one of the most difficult obstacles to overcome.

Editorial

We would like to say Welcome to all of the high school students who are visiting here May 20 for the annual High School Day.

As you look around Castleton, we are sure you will find many things that interest you, for the boys the new gym which many varied physical education activities are carried throughout the year. For the girls we think everything will attract you.

College life is a different kind of life, living with friends that won't take very long to know, gaining more knowledge and techniques on how to become a future teacher.

When you come to Castleton, if you choose it, we are sure you will be making a good choice. The United States needs new teachers and if you are really interested you will become a good teacher.

Have an enjoyable summer vacation and return in the fall!

TO TEACH

by Peggie Chase Paulus

Turn your thoughts to the verb, "to teach,"

And, oh, what heights your mind can reach!

To teach is to train, to show, to make aware.

To teach is to inspire—to guide, to dare.

To teach is to reveal the truths of the ages.

To teach is to keep faith with prophets and sages.

To teach is to lead so that greatness unfolds.

To teach is to marvel at what one's eye beholds.

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Cheerleaders

The varsity cheerleaders have been chosen for next year and are as follows: Joan Barrows, Captain; Bonnie Thorburn, Co-Captain; Marie Goodwin, Sandy Davenport, Maureen McCormack and Substitutes Pat Angulia and Carol Ianni. Their advisor is Mrs. Terry.

These girls were chosen on their poise, appearance, voice, co-ordination, ability, posture, knowledge of cheers, jump, and pep.

In the past the cheerleaders have cheered at the games and planned pep rallies. This year they added sock hops and advertisement of games as well as working with the varsity club in sponsoring Shipwreck Weekend. They also drew up a constitution and are now a recognized organization of the school.

Next fall the girls intend to continue with their past activities, work with the Orientation Committee, make up some new cheers, organize a pep club, and sell blazers. Their main ambition next year is to attend a National Cheerleaders Convention in New York state and to get new uniforms.

Shortly after school starts in the fall, the cheerleaders will be having practice for all students who wish to try out for jayvees who will be cheering at the basketball games.

Big Brothers And Sisters Needed

Each year sheets are put up for students to sign to become big brothers and sisters to the incoming frosh. These students are asked to write to the frosh during the summer months and answer any questions they might have about college. The big brothers and sisters are also supposed to aid the freshmen with any problems they might encounter after they get here.

This is important and makes the frosh feel more at ease and at home. At this time we have quite a few big sisters but need more big brothers so, boys, would you please sign up to become big brothers now.

Women's Sports

The girls' softball team has been taking a back seat due to baseball practice on their field. The girls hope to start practice next week. There is a lot of interest but we will need still more players. How about it, girls?

The tennis tournament will take place among the girls that sign up for it.

There seems to be a lot of interest in archery this year. Miss Ewald is thinking about a round for archery. Show your interest by signing up.

S. C. A.

The S.C.A. elected officers for next year on April 26th. The new officers are Robert Bush, president; Martha Moxley, vice president; Janet Walker, secretary; Rosetta Royce, treasurer; Judy Kearns, program chairman; Anna White, publicity chairman; June Chapin, refreshment chairman and Arthur Clough, caravan chairman.

These officers were formally inducted at an installation service on May 9.

An annual picnic will climax the activities of the S.C.A. The date will be set later.

Newman Club

The Newman Club met April 28th at the Catholic Center. A discussion was held on "Marriage in the Eyes of the Church." Plans were also begun for the Student Retreat to be held May 17, 18 and 19.

On May 3 the planning committee for the Retreat, consisting of Jerry Egan, Maureen Sullivan, Pat Fryzell, and Sandy Garron met with Father Connor to make further plans. Father Connor announced that Rev. Dougherty, S.S.E. of Mystic, Conn., would be the speaker at the Retreat which will start at 4:00 p.m. with a Mass and there will be a short talk afterwards until 5:30 at which time the meeting will adjourn for supper. The Retreat will reconvene in the evening at 7:00 p.m., closing at 8:30 p.m. There will be special hours set aside during the day for private conferences with Rev. Dougherty if desired.

The theme of the Retreat is "A New Look at Life." All C.T.C. students are welcomed.

Across The Campus

Congratulations are in order for Mary Kerr and Larry Barber on their recent engagement.

Wedding bells will be ringing soon for Sally Roggman and Joy Rowe as has been noticed by the bridal showers given recently. Congratulations and good luck, girls!

Ellis Hall was pleased to have Mrs. Brison and her daughter Sally stay here recently.

Evie Berge may not have been sun-tanning but she sure had a wonderful time. Evie went to Washington, D.C., travelling through eight states and not missing a thing while she was there. Evie visited the Capital, Smithsonian Institute, Washington Monument, Mt. Vernon, and Arlington Cemetery where she watched the changing of the guard.

Coming farther north we find that Mary Kerr spent some time in New York City where she saw the Perry Como Show.

Odd And Ends

Mr. White attended a two-day conference of the New England Council of Teachers of English held April 29 and 30 at Newport, Rhode Island. Conference theses included "Standards in Successful Teaching" and "The Co-ordination of Secondary School and College English."

Glad to see that Mr. Aborn has roused up some school spirit and now has forty members in his Glee Club. As we all know, this should be a very functioning club, because it represents all of us at Christmas pageants, Graduation and other school activities.

Best wishes go to Mr. and Mrs. Rampone and their new daughter Jennifer, who arrived on May 4.

We are glad to see Mrs. Sweitzer's smiling face around campus again. We were all sorry that she was ill.

The "Varsity C" and cheerleaders planned a fabulous weekend for the students at C.T.C. It was called "Shipwreck Weekend" and here are a few of the activities that were scheduled. Friday, May 6, swimming was enjoyed at Green Mountain. Saturday, May 7, in the morning, there was a men's tennis tournament and in the afternoon fun was had during a picnic at Crystal Beach. Many sunburns are now appearing around the campus. And we must not forget the Shipwreck Dance that was thoroughly enjoyed by all. This weekend really proved to be one of the best functions during this school year. Good work, "Varsity C"!

"From The Birdseye"

by Frank Vara

Students at C.T.C. may be interested in entrance requirements of our school in 1867, found on the back of a school register for that year.

"Candidates for admission to the State Normal schools must present testimonials of good moral character and must pass an examination in (1) Arithmetic (2) Geography (3) Grammar . . .

"Graduation candidates having passed a satisfactory examination in first course must be examined in:

1. Bookkeeping by double entry, algebra, physical geography, physiology, elements of botany with drawings of forms, natural philosophy, a thorough analysis and explanation of one book of Cooper or Thompson.
2. Some of these, geology, surveying, zoology, intellectual philosophy, moral philosophy.
3. Critical exposition of Milton's "Paradise Lost" or "Bacon's Essays."

Campus Personality



LYNN BROOKS
Castleton Editor

Campus personality for this issue is Marilyn Brooks, better known as "Brooksie." "Brooksie" is from Brattleboro, Vt., where she attended Brattleboro High School.

At Castleton, "Brooksie" has been an active member of the College Glee Club, Drama Club, Women's A.A., S.N.E.A., *The Spartan* and *Castleton*.

This summer "Brooksie" will be taking summer courses in physical education at St. Albans. She will be teaching phys. ed. at Brattleboro High School this fall. Later "Brooksie" would like to go into the field of mathematics. The best of luck and success to Marilyn in her teaching.

Active Commuters

Mary Lou Dunlap

At a recent senate meeting the point was brought out to try to make, or help make, the commuters' social life on campus a more active one. Among the many proposed solutions was the starting up of an active Commuters Club. A club of this kind could well be a very important and influential activity, for everyone knows that there are as many as, if not more, commuters than resident students. Among these commuting students are some of the higher scholastic indexes in the school.

A club of this type, under the proper leadership, (officers) could help liven up school activities competitively as well as co-operatively. Good examples of this competitive co-operation would be the Winter Carnival Snow Sculptures or planning dances on weekends.

Another step in the proposed "active commuters" campaign is a lively column in *The Spartan*, not to mention *The Castleton*. The *Spartan* column will be written and edited by Mary Lou Dunlap and will consist of articles written by, or about, the commuters of C.T.C. and their activities. Should this proposed "Commuters' Club" fail to materialize due to lack of spirit or leadership, the *Spartan* column will still be printed and all commuters are more than welcome to voice their opinions openly by articles or editorials.

Let's all join to support the new venture; to support our teams; but above all, to support our school.

Across The Campus

Lona Guyette spent the vacation at Sandy Van Houten's home in Elmira, New York and the girls, among other things visited Corning Glass Center in Corning, New York.

Marilyn Daniels spent a few days with her sister in Saratoga Springs, New York and Wayne King spent a few days in Connecticut at Marilyn's house.

Also in Connecticut during the vacation were Betty Ann Paquette, Mrs. Hill, and Betty O'Brian, all visiting relatives.

Carolee Carroll had Carolyn Johnson and Barb Fallon at her home for a week and I understand that Pittsfield has some special attraction for those girls.

"Nick" Nichols spent a week down visiting Patti and it seems that Steve took them to a professional hockey game and then they had a little trouble getting in. What happened? Speaking of Nick and Patti, let me congratulate you on your new Bermudas. What is the trade name? I'm sure we would all like to obtain a pair if possible.

Before leaving Massachusetts for New Hampshire we should mention that Sari Farnum spent part of her vacation with Kit Wallin in Hinsdale, Massachusetts.

Now on to New Hampshire where we will stop at the White Mountains and there we find Kathy Macia enjoying herself. What did the Old Man of the Mountains have that interested you so, Kathy?

At last we are back in Vermont and here we find Tom Ranney visiting Jody Barrows, Lucile Boule visiting Virginia Zielinski and ten other girls and five boys who did not know when vacation started. These students stayed at CTC and worked through the conferences. Life was never like this before, was it, kids? Why, the boys even came up to Ellis Hall for breakfast!

This brings us back to Ellis and Ellis Hall would like to welcome Charlotte Farnum and Sandra Moxley who recently spent a few days in the dorm. We all hope you enjoyed it, girls, and will come back again soon.

Kathy, the next time you and Gilda walk to Whitehall would you please count the steps for us? We are deciding whether we are going to let freshmen get ahead of us and that would aid us in our decision. Thank you!

I noticed that the "Creemee" stand has opened up during this past weekend and along with that I also noticed four girls returning from there Sunday night. Did you get a little wet, Jane?

Sully visited relatives in Charlestown, New Hampshire during the vacation and Sandy Garron visited her sister in Randolph, Vermont. I understand that you had a little babysitting to do, right, Sandy?

The Green Mountain Diner does not know what it is in for this summer.

If you can imagine it, they have hired Sully, Ella, Rose and Anna Senechal—one, yes, but four!

Congratulations are certainly in order for the Ingalls, the Eatons and the McCormacks on the recent additions to their families. Dick's wife and John's wife presented their husbands with baby girls and Cindy presented Bill with a baby boy.

Seniors, we are now on the last lap of the long road toward graduation. In less than six weeks comes the day of days. So, enjoy yourself while you can.

Spring fever has invaded the campus. Can you recognize it? Perhaps the "fever" has infected you. Do you find it difficult to keep your mind on classes and studying? Do you find yourself thinking up excuses to cut? Other signs to be noticed are the beauties soaking up ole Sol in back of Ellis, baseball games and dieting in order to fit into last year's spring clothes.

Ellis Hall has been turned into a pet shop of sorts. If you see Lorna followed by a Duck, you are not seeing things. "Daffy" is the newest member to the halls. Gilda Hall has joined the pet lovers recently and become a rabbit raiser.

After three years of trying, Ellis Hall can now boast of a brand new TV set. I wonder how much studying will be done.

Hustle and bustle in the Halls of Ellis from now until May 27th. The elementary group of the Juniors just began their Student Teaching. Get plenty of sleep, kids. Believe me, you will need it.

One moment of silence, please! Remember, Suzy? (Trudy's car) Well, Suzy isn't with us anymore. She just couldn't make it back. As a matter of fact, she almost didn't make it home, did she, Trudy?

Several of the girls in Leavenworth have changed rooms recently. Is your new room as hot as the old one, Sheila?

Is it true, Cathy, that you and Larry brought a friend to Burlington in the trunk of Larry's car?

We were all glad to see that Pat and Marilyn are back after an extra long vacation.

You don't have to go to Poultney to get to Hydeville, Connie and Sheila. The road might be easier to follow than the railroad tracks.

Is it true that Marilyn and Ann almost spent the weekend at Lake Bomoseen? It must be that you aren't used to riding bikes, girls.

Cathy and Bobbie are looking forward to a quiet weekend soon. The junior birdmen will soon be on duty again.

Secret American Weapon--The E-Bomb

The common bond of education is serving to spread the friendship of America around the world.

A number of American universities and colleges are sharing their educational facilities and manpower with schools in foreign countries. Wayne State, Kentucky, Wyoming, Stanford, New York, Michigan and Michigan State are examples.

Each year Wayne State provides a training program for 150 teachers of Thailand. Because of lack of texts and reference books, the teachers learn new methods of communicating knowledge to their students. Financial help is also provided them.

The University of Kentucky is co-operating with the technical and science faculty of the University of Indonesia. The object of the program is more qualified Indonesian science professors.

The University of Wyoming is an educational partner with the Royal Afghan Ministries of Education and Agriculture. The two are combining to reorganize Afghan schools as well as educate Afghan students at the Rocky Mountain school.

Improvement of the Philippine vocational education system is the object of Stanford University. New York University is striving with Israel in an executive management training program.

The University of Michigan is engaged in a program to bring industry-sponsored research to Waseda University, Tokyo, while Michigan State University has cooperative programs in seven countries.

The impact of the programs is best described by Pulitzer Prize winner and noted educator, Dr. Benjamin Fine, who calls it an "E-bomb."

Baseball In Full Swing

The Spartans of Castleton Teachers College officially opened their 1960 baseball season on April 30th, with a 4-1 triumph over Johnson Teachers College.

The Spartans pounced on Johnson from the start when Mike Barslow led off the game with a double to center field. He was followed by Pete Ruby who promptly smashed out a double scoring Barslow, making the score 1-0 at the end of the first.

In the second inning the Terrymen started another rally when Nichols walked and was followed by Bob Ward who lashed a double to right field, sending Nichols to third. Pitcher Dick Engalls was walked, filling the bases. After two were out in the inning Ruby again came through with a base hit, driving in two runs. Castleton was then retired in the third inning, leading by the score of 3-0.

In the fourth, Castleton scored again when Pete Ruby reached first on an infield error and scored on a double by Skip Pietryka. This ended the scoring for the Spartans and proved to be enough as they went on to defeat Johnson 4-1.

Pitchers Dick Engalls and Don Orvis (Orvis relieved Engalls in the sixth) combined to stop Johnson with only 1 hit and were important factors in the game.

CASTLETON		JOHNSON	
ab	r h	ab	r h
Barslow, lf	5 1 2	Kingsbury, ss	4 0 0
Ruby, rf	4 0 3	Mumley, c	4 0 0
Carrara, 2b	4 0 0	Lumbra, 3b	1 1 0
Pietryka, 1b	4 0 1	Gibson, 1b	2 0 1
Barth, c	3 0 0	Gerbaiss, 2b	4 0 0
Nichols, cf	3 1 0	Messier, lf	2 0 0
Ward, 3b	3 1 1	Culver, rf	3 0 0
Toomey, ss	2 0 0	Marshall, cf	2 0 0
Eaton, 2b	1 0 0	Muir, p	3 0 0
Engalls, p	0 1 0		
Orvis, p	2 0 0		
Totals	37 4 7	Totals	28 1 1
Johnson	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-1		
Castleton	1 2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0-4		

On May 2nd, the Green and White "nine" of Castleton invaded Windham College where they met a surprising 7-6 defeat.

Joko Daley was the starting hurler for C.T.C. but had a wild streak early in the game, allowing 5 runs to score. He was relieved in the second inning by Don Orvis who went the rest of the distance.

The game started with a bright spot as Mike Barslow unleashed a long home run in the top of the first inning. Castleton added another run in the second inning when Nichols and Barth both walked and moved around on wild pitches. Nichols finally did score on a wild pitch making the score 2-2 at the end of two innings.

In the fifth inning the Spartans had a sudden outburst of hitting as Pete Ruby led off with a single, followed by a double by Pietryka, sending Ruby to third. Ward then walked, filling the bases. Nichols then singled, scoring Ruby. Later in the inning both Ward and Pietryka scored as Carrara's swinging bunt was thrown into right field by the opposing pitcher for a two run error, making the score 7 to 5 in the fifth inning. Castleton scored their last run in the ninth but to no avail as they went down to defeat by the score of 7-6.

CASTLETON		WINDHAM	
ab	r h	ab	r h
Barslow, lf	5 1 1	Jerranovis, 2b	5 1 2
Symerski, 2b	5 0 2	Wright, c	3 2 2
Ruby, rf	4 2 1	Cisbispauo, lf	4 1 1
Pietryka, 1b	4 1 3	Grant, rf	4 0 1
Ward, 3b	3 1 2	Koenigsberg, pcf	2 0 0
Nichols, cf	4 1 1	Soon, cf	1 0 0
Barth, c	4 0 0	Olson, p	3 0 1
Carrara, ss	3 0 0	Staus, 3b	4 0 0
Eaton	1 0 0	Archer, ss	3 1 1
Daley, p	1 0 0	Gallof, 1b	4 1 2
Orvis, p	3 0 1		
Totals	37 6 11	Totals	33 7 9
Castleton	1 1 0 0 3 0 0 0 1-6		
Windham	2 3 0 1 1 0 0 0 0-7		

Skip Pietryka was the batting hero of the day, on May 5th, when his dramatic ninth inning home run gave the Spartans a thrilling 8-6 victory over Farmington Teachers College.

The score was 6-4 in favor of the Farmington Beavers, going into the bottom of the ninth inning with the Spartans coming up to bat. Joko Daley, the leadoff man singled into center field and moved to second on a sacrifice. Dick Symerski then singled, moving Daley to third. Ed Fabian drew a wild pitch, scoring Daley, making the score 6-5. Fabian was then walked. This set the stage for Pietryka as he walked up and hit the first pitch out of the ball park for a thrilling finish.

Dick Ingalls started on the mound for Castleton but was relieved in the 6th inning by ace reliever Don Orvis who got the win.

CASTLETON		FARMINGTON	
ab	r h	ab	r h
Symerski, 2b	3 1 1	Gage, cf	6 1 3
Barslow, lf	3 1 1	Corneloi, 2b	3 0 0
Fabian, lf	1 1 0	Greenleaf, rf	5 1 1
Pietryka, 1b	5 1 2	Downs, ss	4 0 0
Ruby, rf	4 1 0	Daniels, c	2 0 0
Ward, 3b	4 0 0	Redmen, c	1 0 0
Nichols, cf	3 0 1	Dean, 1b	4 1 2
Carrara, ss	2 0 0	Martel, 3b	3 1 0
Lazatera, ss	1 0 0	Karkos, lf	3 1 1
Daley, c	4 2 3	Quirion, rf	1 0 0
Ingalls, p	2 1 2	Rollins, p	3 0 2
Orvis, p	1 0 0		
Zakrewski	1 0 0		
Totals	35 8 9	Totals	36 6 9
Farmington	0 0 0 0 3 2 0 1 0-6		
Castleton	0 1 0 0 3 0 0 0 4-8		

Intra-Squad Game

by Bill Skitt

On Friday, April 22, baseball fans were given a preview of this year's edition of the Castleton baseball Spartans. An intra-squad game of five innings was held, which saw team A beat team B by a score of 5 to 2, in a hard fought and well played game. With the exception of one bad inning apiece, both pitchers Ed Fabian and Dick Ingalls of team A and team B, respectively, turned in fine performances.

The first three innings saw the pitchers take command and dominate this part of the game and the only batter to reach base in this period was Ron Willis, by virtue of a walk.

In the top of the fourth inning for team A, Willis again walked, Sam Carrara then followed with a double to right field, thus putting runners on second and third. Dick Sanders followed with a line shot to center field for a clean base hit and when the ball took a bad hop and got by the center fielder Sanders raced around to third, Carrara and Willis scoring on the play. The next batter, George Bergin, hit a slow roller to shortstop and reached safely on a fielder's choice as the shortstop, trying to nip Sanders at the plate, had his bullet throw get there just a fraction of a second too late. John Barth, up next, connected for the best and longest hit of the day, a real "Ballantine Blast" down the left field line for a ground-rule double, with Bergin stopping at third base. Ed Fabian then singled sharply to center field scoring Bergin, and then Barth with team A's fifth and final run of the game.

In the bottom half of the fourth, team B threatened as Fabian issued walks to Pete Ruby and Skip Pietryka, but Fabian was equal to the task and pitched himself out of this jam.

In the top of the fifth team A was retired in order, and team B batting in the bottom half of the fifth its offense began to click. Bob Ward led off the inning with a walk, Gus Bennett then reached on an error, and then both runners moved up a base on a passed ball. Byron "Tuna" Fish then walked to fill the bases, for a double to right field by Mike Barslow, which was the only hit of the game for the B team. Ward scored on this hit, but Bennett was out at the plate on a beautiful throw from Dick Symerski to John Barth, who put the tag on the sliding Bennett. A wild pitch then scored Fish from third base for the second run for team B, Barslow moved over to third base on the play. Ron Willis then came in as a relief pitcher for Fabian, and put out the fire by retiring the next two batters to end the inning and the game. The final score was 5

Track Team

by Don Orvis

Listed below are the members of the track team and the events they participate in.

Name	Events
Mike Barslow	High jump, high hurdles, broad jump
Cal Hastings	100 and 220 yard dashes, low hurdles.
Tom Manell	Broad jump, high jump.
Sam Ezzo	Javelin, discus
Al Blastos	Shot put, discus, javelin.
Bill Bountress	Shot put, javelin.
John Sabo	Shot put, quarter mile.
Lewie Adams	Mile, two mile.

Knowlton Utley High jump, half mile.

On May 3, Castleton's Track Team went to Lyndon Teachers College to engage in a track meet. Lyndon won the meet 81 to 35. Scoring of the meet for each event was as follows: Five points for first place, three points for second place, and one point for third place.

Mike Barslow took top honors for Castleton with 12 points. He finished first in the high hurdles, tied for first with Knowlton Utley for the high jump, and second place in the broad jump. Cal Hastings gathered seven points on a first place finish on the low hurdles, and third in the 100 and 220 yard dashes.

This being the first year there has been a track team at Castleton, Mr. Terry was very pleased with the team in its informal meet at Lyndon.

On May 26, the track team will travel to Fitchburg, Mass. to engage in the Conference Meet. For a letter in track, a player must receive five points at this meet.

The team has some disadvantages with the lack of track meets, experience, and some track equipment. But with these disadvantages the team and Mr. Terry are both hoping for a first place finish in the Conference Meet.

For anyone interested, there is still time to go out for the track team.

to 2, with team A the victors, in a fast moving, and exciting game that indicated that this season could well be a winning and very successful one.

LINEUPS:

TEAM A	TEAM B
Fabian; p, 1b	Ingalls; p
Barth; c	Fish; c
Willis; 1b, p	Pietryka; 1b
Symerski; 2b	Lazzeterra; 2b
Carrara; ss	Ruby; ss
Eaton; 3b	Ward; 3b
Sanders; lf	Barslow; lf
Bergin; cf	Nichols; cf
Fisher; rf	Bennett; rf



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Music, Drama, Art Presented Here

by Mary Kerr

On Tuesday night, May 17, 1960, the Castleton Players presented an evening of drama, music, and art in the new gymnasium. A collection of oil paintings by the Wednesday evening art class was displayed in the lobby. The works are now being shown in the dining room.

Among those exhibiting were Dean Black, Mrs. Dundas, Miss Hale, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Blodget, Mrs. Condon, Lorna Smith, and Marie Bell.

Comments offered by some of the spectators were:

(Miss Jackson)

"A wonderful accomplishment in such a short space of time! It is good to get oils at Castleton."

(Students)

"Excellent work—quite competent!"

"The paintings really looked expert, but the show wasn't talked up enough."

"The show really proved that there are some really talented people among us."

The Castleton College Band then entertained with an hour of music directed by Mr. Robert Aborn and Mr. Almon Bushnell.

After the closing selection had been completed, Nancy White presented Mr. Bushnell with a memento in honor of his establishing a band here at Castleton four years ago.

A ten minute intermission was followed by two one-act plays. The first was a drama "Hangs Over Thy Head" enacted by our own Castleton players. This production was directed by Saul Elkin and acted by Barbara McGlavin, Bill Bountress, Al Blastos, Jerry Lentini, Lynn Brooks and Tom Ranney. The play was certainly food for thought. How would one choose death? By radiation poisoning, or a trip to Venus in a ship piloted by an unknown driver?

The actors portrayed their parts well. There was a feeling of reality in that eerie play.

The Thespian Art Players of Green Mountain College then presented "Fumed Oak." It was a comedy about a man leaving his family. Mr. Saul Elkin did a wonderful job of portraying the husband.

Mr. Elkin, director of both plays, did a commendable job. C.T.C.'s experiment was most worthwhile.

Two Educators Retire



Dr. May Siegl and Mr. Almon Bushnell will retire after many years in the field of education. Dr. Siegl has been at C.T.C. for 18 years, and Mr. Bushnell has been here for the past 5 years.

On June 5, 1960 Dr. May Hollis Siegl and Mr. Almon Bushnell will retire from active educational careers of thirty-seven and thirty-six years, respectively.

Of those thirty-seven years, Dr. Siegl has spent the past eighteen at Castleton as Director of Student Teaching for seventeen and the past year as Associate Professor of Education and Chairman of the Education Department.

Born in Boston, May Hollis migrated to the Middle West with her parents in early childhood where she grew up. After graduating from Oxford College (the women's college of Miami University), she taught in Hawaii for four years. She then decided to do graduate study at Columbia University from which she took two years to teach the teacher training course at Montpelier Seminary, now Vermont College. The choice of "Reform of Austrian Education" as the topic for her doctoral dissertation took her to Vienna for research that led to her marriage there with Felix J. Siegl.

Returning to the United States with her husband, Mrs. Siegl completed her dissertation and became principal of a school at Greenville, South Carolina. The next year she joined the faculty of the Lincoln School, Teachers College, Columbia University.

When World War II broke out, the Siegl's decided to make their home at the farm they had purchased some years before in Winhall, Vermont. They both taught rural schools in the area until Dr. Siegl came to C.T.C. and Mr. Siegl joined the Fair Haven

High School faculty as an instructor, later becoming principal.

A member of Delta Kappa Gamma, Dr. Siegl has also served three years on the VEA Board of Directors; two years as president of the Vermont Women Teachers Association; has been on the New England ASCD Board; and was a member of the committee that wrote Vermont's first reading curriculum. Despite her own busy career she has always found time to act as the gracious wife of a high school principal.

In speaking of the future, Dr. Siegl says, "For the first time in thirty-one years I can really do my duty as a housewife. I am also going to learn Russian and do some writing."

Although Mr. Bushnell has been at Castleton only five of his thirty-six professional years, he has become a well known figure because of his musical and civic interests. In contradistinction to Mrs. Siegl, he was born in Ohio and moved to Vermont with his parents as a small child.

His undergraduate work was done at the University of West Virginia (one year) and Dartmouth College (three years), and his graduate study was at Columbia University.

Upon graduation from Dartmouth, Mr. Bushnell became principal of the Hanover Grammar School. He next engaged in supervisory work for two years before he joined the faculty of Keene Teachers College. Five years later he became principal of the Johnson Normal School (now Johnson Teachers College). In 1934 he became

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Commencement Week Activities Near

by Jerry Lentini

On Sunday, May 29th, at 8:00 p.m., the graduating class of 1960 will march into the Woodruff Hall Auditorium for the traditional Baccalaureate Service. This is the first time that the Baccalaureate Service has been held in the evening. The invocation will be given by Rev. R. H. Throop. The guest speaker will be Reverend Olof Johnson, of the Federated Church of Castleton. The scripture will be read by Bertrum Coolidge.

There will be a Candle Lighting Service held at Woodruff Hall immediately following the Baccalaureate Service.

On Friday, June 3rd, at 10:00 a.m., there will be a President's Assembly held at the new gymnasium-auditorium. Such awards as the Good Citizenship Award for the man and woman who have best exemplified good college citizenship throughout their college years, the Spartan Award for those persons who have shown exceptional ability in the field of journalism for the college newspaper for one and two year periods, and Alpha Lambda, the Sophomore-Junior Honor Society, will enroll a number of exceptional students.

Also on Friday's agenda will be the swearing in ceremony of our new Student Association Officers by President Dundas.

Saturday, June 4th, is Alumni Day and Castleton Teachers College will play host to its past graduates. Alumni Day, under the direction of Alumni President Elsie Best Adams and Alumni Secretary Helen Hall, will consist of registration and a tour of the campus from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.; a luncheon in the college dining room at 12:30 p.m.; and a business meeting at 1:30 p.m.

At 3:00 p.m., on June 5th, will be Commencement and the close of the week's activities. The music of the procession will be heard at the new gymnasium-auditorium and the graduating class of 1960 will march in to the strains of "Pomp and Circumstance."

The invocation will be given by Father Thomas Connors, pastor of St. John the Baptist Roman Catholic Church of Castleton. The address will be given by Dr. William White, Vice-President and Provost of Northeastern University and brother of Mr. Robert White.

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Campus Personality



LARRY COOK

North Attleboro, Mass. is the hometown of *Spartan* editor, Larry Cook. Larry graduated from North Attleboro High School in 1957.

In his three years at Castleton, Larry has been a member of the *Spartan* staff, Social Rec Committee, Publicity and Publication Committee, treasurer of IRC, active member of all dance committees, a member of Delta Psi and junior class delegate-at-large.

He is making Junior High education his field of specialization.

Larry's favorite pastimes are art and just galavanting around. He loves to travel and his only phobia is work!

Best of Luck to the Graduating Class

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Editorial FAREWELL SENIORS

When a school year draws itself to a close, many of the students are anxious to get home and start their summer work. Others are excited and concerned with their exams, marks, and bidding their friends farewell. But there is one group of students each year that look at things a bit differently from the rest of us—the graduating Seniors.

For them, this final week is the last they will see of C.T.C. and the life they have become accustomed to. There will be no more fretting over tests and on-the-spot quizzes; no more roommate to confide in; and no more of the good times that marked their four years here.

In a few days, they will take their place in the world. Their preparation is over—and it will soon be tested. It will not be easy for them. In fact, it will prove quite a struggle.

The quick tempo they have become accustomed to will slow down. Their habits, ideas, and social behavior will noticeably change to meet the needs of their new-found environment. But in time, the strangeness will wear off and they will be very happy with what they are doing.

Everyone wishes them the best of luck, and we hope that they will come back and visit their campus whenever they have a chance.

Shower Of Roses

by Kathy Canney

Everything's coming up roses this month for the girl who's about to be a bride. Cupcakes are in bloom with pink frosting flowers. Paper posies are budding on party trees. In the punch bowl, a splash of water lends its delicate fragrance and flavor.

And who is sporting the rosiest glow—why the bride-to-be, of course, dressed like a pretty pink candy stick in a soft pink stripe, with puffed sleeves and the tiniest edging of white peek-a-boo lace around the neckline and hemline.

In the farthest corner from the blushing bride-to-be, sits a guest in the new mauve color, the spring's most fashiony hue. The dress is full-skirted—and has the new apron effect. The sleeves are miniature caps and the neckline is cut in a deep square in both front and back.

Another of the invited is wearing a white dress with spring flowers appliqued on the sheath skirt.

You are behind the punch bowl, putting together the prettiest shower of the season for a friend who is going to be married.

W A A Awards

Another year packed full of women's sports—tennis, soccer, basketball, badminton, archery and many others—draws to an end, and with it, awards have been ordered for deserving girls and will be given out at the Sports Banquet.

A letter is awarded to any girl who has accumulated eight points while at C.T.C. This may be over a period of one to four years. To win a pin, she must have earned 16 points—inter-collegiate sports give her one point and intramurals and Sports Days give her one-half. All girls may work for this. And so, girls, if you haven't started yet, and would like to have either a letter or pin, just remember—"It's never too late!"—and next year will be a wonderful time to begin.

Due to the fact that "Ole Sol" hasn't been too prominent on the scene, there will be no softball team this year. However, the freshman physical education classes have been having some softball skills during class time.

The Sophomore Women are learning Robin Hood's art of archery. It has been great fun, although they lack "the band of men" to make the picture complete!

Congratulations to Mary Jane Madigan. She was recently elected president of Women's Athletic Association for the school year, 1960-61. The other officers will be elected in the fall.

CHEERS FOR OUR BAND

by Janet Walker

"What, do you call that a band?" "I didn't even know we had a band." These are only two of the favorite expressions many students use on campus when speaking about the band. The strange fact is that most of the unfavorable outbursts come from those who either aren't in the band but play an instrument, or from students who know nothing about music.

The band members attend regular weekly rehearsals to prepare an annual concert for all of us to enjoy. Although the participants are amateurs, they enjoy playing and try hard to build up the college spirit. It appears ironic to note that several outsiders are willing to work with the band, and yet there are many able members of the student body who are not willing to help the band progress.

I have noticed a tremendous improvement in the band this year. More students have participated; therefore, accomplishments are more apt to be noticed. I, for one, thank Mr. Bushnell and Mr. Aborn for the wonderful progress they have made this year. I also thank all the students who really

NEXT YEAR'S OFFICERS CHOSEN

In the last two weeks several organizations on campus have elected their officers for the coming year. Congratulations to those students chosen to formulate the policies of the student body next year. Those elected to offices were:

S. A. Officers

President—George Bergin
Student Court Judge—Marcel Currier
A.A. President—Don Orvis
Social Rec—Barbara Dolan
Publicity Chairman—Virginia Worden
Records Council—Barbara Duchane

S. A. Minor Offices

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made an effort to make the band worthwhile.

In the future I hope that everyone will help support their band. We are lucky to have such an organization open to all who attend C.T.C. Let's give credit where it is due, and build up C.T.C.'s reputation rather than tear it down.

High School Day At C. T. C.



On May 20, 1960, forty-four high school students were on the Castleton campus to see what the college is like. College students acted as guides for the group. In this picture punch is being served by (l. to r.) Barb Duchane, Ethel Hadaway, and Julian Jackson.

by Virginia Worden

Friday, May 20th, was High School Day, and 44 juniors and seniors from such high schools as Arlington Memorial, Middlebury Union, Wallingford Springfield, Mount St. Joseph, Fair Haven, Proctor, Rutland and West Rutland came to see just what C.T.C. was like.

They were given the inside secrets about our campus by several guides who gave them an interesting tour of our buildings, etc.

No tests had to be administered, and Mr. Mosher gave the few interviews that were needed—most of them had had one previously. During these interviews, the other high school students were served a tea in the Leavenworth lounge.

In the afternoon, they were invited to attend the Castleton-Gorham game at Fair Haven.

Here are some of the views expressed concerning C.T.C.

Paula Broder, Arlington, Vt.:

"Very friendly, just what I want. Very casual and likeable."

Jaime Guyette, Wallingford High:

"Has a nice group of kids, and I like the school. It has a pleasant atmosphere here."

Kandi Root, Rutland High:

"I really like it. Everyone seems very friendly, and I think it would be fun coming here in the fall."

Roberta Brown, Rutland High:

"I really think it's nice. I've always been interested in C.T.C. all through high school and so have followed its development. I think it has improved a lot in the last year."

Paul Bove, Wallingford High:

"I like it. It has a homey atmosphere. It is better than a big school.

You seem more important in a small school, and I think Castleton has it."

Elizabeth Olson, Rutland High:

"I like it because it's small and friendly and everyone is so willing to help."

Pat Landon, Proctor:

"Much different than I expected—much friendlier. Very nice."

Ionya Geraw, Mt. St. Joseph:

"Friendly, nice campus, would enjoy going here."

Marilyn Keilty, Rutland:

"I think it's great. Everyone's awfully friendly and nice."

Roger Clarino, Proctor:

"Like it very much—very homey—very friendly."

Bonnie Cooper, M.S.J.:

"Friendly, enjoy C.T.C. very much. Looking forward to being here next year."

Peggy Heald, Arlington:

"Like C.T.C. very much—a very nice place."

Also, many of them expressed the fact that everyone spoke to them, even though they didn't know them. This is terrific! Congratulations, "C.T.C.-ers!" Let's always keep our campus as friendly and great as the high school students found it while visiting here!

Commencement Week

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The Commencement Ceremony will be filled in at different intervals by the Castleton Teachers College Glee Club under the direction of Mr. Robert Aborn.

The degrees will be awarded by President Richard J. Dundas, the Alma Mater will be sung, and our new teachers will march out to the music of the recessional.

Across The Campus

Graduation already—how time flies—no more term papers, exams and homework—It is with sadness and best wishes that we bid good-bye to the seniors. Let's hope that they come back to visit us next year.

Showers, Showers, Showers—(I don't mean rain!) Bridal showers galore for some of the girls at Ellis Hall. Sally Roggmann, Carolyn Johnson, Betty Ann Paquette, Joan Beriau, Elaine Hogaboom, Mary Carley, Barb Fallon, and Joy Rowe were all surprised with lovely showers. We wish them all the best of luck in their forthcoming marriage.

Mrs. Cassin celebrated her birthday on May 15th and we are all glad that it was such a pleasant one. She received many lovely cards and a box of chocolates from her girls at Ellis.

Congratulations to the new officers of Ellis Hall. They are Shelia Poole, president; Rose Giroux, vice president; Ella O'Brien, secretary; Evie Carpenter, treasurer and Maureen Sullivan as fire warden. We are all sure that they will do as fine a job as the officers of this year.

Mary Ann Towne came to visit many of her friends here at C.T.C. We all want to extend our sincere best wishes to her and Gene Oliver on their forthcoming marriage.

Ann Hatfield and Andy Fortier spent the weekend in the world's largest granite center.

All the Leavenworth Hall girls are glad to see that Cathy Hale is back in the swing of things.

Pat Auglia toured New York with some Leavenworth Hall Girls last weekend. New York has not yet recovered from the impact and probably never will.

Commencement Ball was the latest talk around the campus for the past two

weeks. What to wear? Who will I go with? What kind of flowers do I want? Everyone seemed so excited over the big event, and it proved to be worth the trouble. The end of a perfect school year!

There were a lot of people who came up to go to the big dance. The girls who stayed at Ellis Hall were: Mary Lou Rapello, Marcia Allen, Carmen Peiretoi and Ann Collier. We all hope that they enjoyed themselves and that they had a wonderful time at the Commencement Ball.

Tish Maslack spent the weekend in Boston where she attended activities at Northeastern University. We understand that she had a wonderful time, too.

Congratulations go out to the newlyweds, Stan and Shirley Zavistaski. Shirley is the former Shirley Waite. And the Bernie and Joan Rattis. Joan is the former Joan Beriau.

We are very fortunate to have three lovely models on our campus, Jane Martin, Evie Berge and Maryanne Hunter. If you wandered into the Economy Saturday, you would have seen our coeds.

Some of the girls this year were sporting rare flowers at the dance. Right Patti, Jean, Judy, and Ginny? The little bouquets of lilacs were very original.

The boys also seem to be taking advantage of the sun these days, especially at Fabians.

Only a few more days and vacation will be here at last! Some of us will be whiling away the time at the beach or sea shore, and then there are those of us who will be working all summer in order to make enough money to come back in the fall. But whatever your plans, Bon Voyage, and have a wonderful vacation.

Newman Club Holds Retreat

by Mary Kerr

Instead of the regular Newman Club meeting May 17, the members held their planned retreat.

Father Dougherty of the Order of St. Edmund of Mystic, Connecticut, was the speaker.

Mass was served each afternoon following the first talk. Then the students went to supper and returned to the church at 7:00 for the rosary, another talk, and Benediction.

On the last day there was a High Mass, after which Father Connor and Father Dougherty, were guests of the students at dinner. At 7:00 the rosary was said and followed by the last conference. A refreshment hour at the Catholic Center concluded the retreat.

Two Educators Retire

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superintendent of schools at Meredith, New Hampshire from which he retired in 1955. One of his outstanding professional accomplishments was the building of a new high school in Meredith which has attracted a large number of new residents to the community.

A Rotarian (and since coming to Castleton, a Lion), Mr. Bushnell has been very active as a church layman but his real hobby is organizing and playing in bands. He also runs a cabin business in Meredith.

Mr. Bushnell's plans are rather indefinite except for his tourist season and the completion of his home on the Lake Road, Bomoseen.

SPARTANS HOLD 3 AND 5 RECORD By Sam Carrara

North Adams Tips Spartans

On May 10, the Spartans lost their first league game to a strong North Adams squad by the score of 12-8.

Starting pitcher Frank Zakrewski pitched strongly until the fourth inning when North Adams jumped on him and reliever Dick Engalls for eight runs, making the score 8-3. In the top of the sixth they again pounced on Engalls with a three run uprising which proved to be more than enough with another run added in the 8th, ending the game with a 12-8 victory.

Castleton's main fault proved to be weak fielding, committing six costly errors which accounted for six unearned runs. One bright spot for the Terrymen was Skip Pietryka, as he blasted his

second round-tripper of the year in the seventh inning.

CASTLETON		NORTH ADAMS	
	ab r h		ab r h
Ruby, rf	2 0 0	Candron, cf	4 1 0
Nichols, cf	4 1 0	Pellerin, 3b	6 2 1
Daley, c	5 1 2	Zavattaro, c	4 3 3
Pietryka, 1b	4 1 1	Farmer, 1b	5 1 2
Ward, 3b	4 2 2	Hatch, ss	5 1 1
Barslow, lf	4 1 1	Smart, rf	2 1 0
Eaton, 2b	2 0 1	Le Clair, lf	2 1 0
Symerski, 2b	3 0 0	Gulvin, lf	2 0 0
Lazatera, ss	2 0 0	Ostrander, 2b	3 1 0
Ingalls, p	1 0 0	Santa-Cruise, 2b	0 1
Fabian	1 0 1	Lefave, p	3 1 0
Pecor, p	1 1 0	Barlow, p	1 0 0
Toomey, ss	2 1 1		
Zakrewski, p	0 0 0		
	36 8 9		39 12 8
North Adams		0 0 0 8 0 3 1 0 0-12	
Castleton		2 0 1 0 0 3 1 1 0-8	

Spartans Drop Two

The Spartans met with double defeat by Lyndon Teachers College on May 13th and 14th by the scores of 4-2 and 12-0, respectively.

In the first game Castleton had trouble hitting southpaw John Wells of Lyndon as he collected ten strikeouts and gave up only nine hits.

In the second game the Spartans were stopped with only three hits and fanned 12 times. This was mainly due to fire-balling right-hander Doug Murray who shut the door on Castleton with his fifth whitewash in his last five starts.

Losing pitcher in the first game was Dick Pecor who gave up all four Lyndon runs. In the second of the two day twin-bill, Dick Engalls received the loss after giving up four runs in the second inning.

First Game

CASTLETON		LYNDON	
	ab r h		ab r h
Ruby, rf	3 1 1	Brooks, cf	4 1 2
Ward, 3b	4 0 1	Hunnington, c	4 1 3
Daley, c	5 0 1	Hunnington, 1b	3 0 0
Fabian, cf	4 0 1	Spooner, lf	4 0 0

Pietryka, 1b	4 1 1	Grout, rf	3 0 0
Toomey, ss	4 0 2	Memoe, 3b	3 1 0
Barslow, lf	4 0 1	Storti, 2b	3 1 1
Symerski, 2b	2 0 1	Twiss, ss	3 0 0
Pecor, p	2 0 0	Wells, p	3 0 0
Sanders	1 0 0		
Zakrewski, p	1 0 0		
	35 2 9		26 4 6
Castleton		0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0-2	
Lyndon		1 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 x-4	

Second Game

CASTLETON		LYNDON	
	ab r h		ab r h
Ruby, cf	4 0 0	Brooks, cf	2 1 1
Symerski, 2b	2 0 0	G. Huntington, c	2 1 1
Toomey, ss	3 0 0	H. " 1b	3 1 1
Pietryka, 1b	2 0 0	Spooner, lf	4 1 4
Carrara, 1b	1 0 1	Grout, rf	4 3 2
Fabian, cf	2 0 0	Lanni, cf	0 0 0
Sanders	1 0 0	Memoe, 3b	4 1 2
Nichols, c	3 0 0	Storti, 2b	1 1 0
Ward, 3b	2 0 0	Twiss, ss	3 1 1
Barslow, lf	3 0 1	Murray, p	2 2 2
Ingalls, p	0 0 0		
Orvis, p	0 0 0		
Eaton	1 0 0		
Fisher, p	0 0 0		
	27 0 3		29 12 13
Castleton		0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0	
Lyndon		0 6 1 4 1 0 0 0 x-12	

THREE FACULTY MEMBERS RESIGN

Several faculty members at C.T.C. have not renewed their contracts for next year. Among them are Mrs. Helen M. Johnson, Mr. Richard Schadt, and Mrs. James Studley.

Mrs. Johnson is a professor in the Science Department at C.T.C. She is an instructor in Zoology, Botany, and Genetics. She received her A.B. at Syracuse University, and her M.A. from Columbia University. Then she studied at the D. T. Watson School of Physical Therapy. She followed up this type of education until she entered the U. S. Army during World War II. She

continued with this work until she came to Castleton in 1959.

Mr. Schadt held the position of social studies instructor at C.T.C. He received his B.A. degree at Syracuse University in 1952, and his Masters there in 1955. Following that he had an administrative graduate assistantship in the School of Education at Syracuse. He also came to Castleton in 1959.

Mr. Studley worked at C.T.C. as a laboratory instructor in Zoology and Botany. He received his B.S. in Physical Education at Cortland Teachers College. He was a Physical Education teacher and coach at Cortland for one year.

C. T. C. Blasts North Adams

Castleton's hero, Skip Pietryka, came through once again as he unleashed another of his tremendous blasts to beat North Adams Teachers College in ten innings on May 17.

The score was 4-4 going into the top of the tenth inning when shortshop Jerry Toomey walked. Pietryka then blasted one over the right fielder's head, making the score 6-4. In the last half of the tenth North Adams loaded the bases with no outs but only one man crossed the plate as Frank Zakrewski reached back and stopped them for a Castleton victory.

CASTLETON		NORTH ADAMS	
	ab r h		ab r h
Ruby, cf	4 1 1	Condron, rf	5 0 0
Symerski, 2b	5 1 0	Pellerin, 3b	5 2 1
Toomey, ss	4 1 2	Zavattaro, c	2 1 2
Pietryka, 1b	5 2 2	Farmer, 1b	4 0 0
Barslow, lf	5 0 1	Hatch, ss	3 0 0
Ward, 3b	5 0 1	Smart, cf	5 0 0
Nichols, c	3 0 0	Leclair, rf	5 0 0
Fabian, rf	5 1 1	Ostrander, 2b	5 2 2
Orvis, p	2 0 0	Lefave, p	4 0 1
Pecor, p	0 0 0		
Zakrewski, p	1 0 1		
	40 6 9		38 5 6
Castleton		0 0 1 0 0 3 0 0 0 2-6	
North Adams		1 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 1-5	

Gorham Drops C. T. C.

The magic of the slow curve again baffled the Spartan hitting punch as Gorham Teachers rolled to an easy victory over Castleton on May 20th.

Gorham jumped on starting pitcher Don Orvis right off and scored two runs before reliever Frank Zakrewski came in to close the inning. Zakrewski finished the game, allowing four more runs to cross the plate. Castleton scored only two runs as they were unable to bunch their eight hits. The big blow for the Spartans was Bobby Ward's long double to left field scoring Ruby.

Losing pitcher was Don Orvis who

started the game and lasted only one-third of an inning. Hayes of Gorham was the winning hurler.

CASTLETON		GORHAM	
	ab r h		ab r h
Ruby, cf	5 1 1	Sanders, rf	6 0 2
Symerski, 2b	5 0 1	Sanborn, 1b	6 3 3
Ward, 3b	5 0 2	Ware, ss	5 1 2
Pietryka, 1b	4 0 2	Wether, c	2 0 2
Toomey, ss	4 0 0	Lapierre, cf	2 0 0
Nichols, cf	4 0 1	Pourevels, 3b	3 0 0
Fabian, rf	2 0 1	Mulherin, lf	3 1 1
Barslow, lf	4 0 0	Walls, 2b	1 1 1
Orvis, p	0 0 0	Hayes, p	3 0 0
Zakrewski, p	2 1 0		
	36 2 8		31 6 11
Gorham		2 0 0 0 1 0 1 2 0-6	
Castleton		0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0-2	

SCIENCE FAIR HELD AT C. T. C.

C.T.C.'s second elementary school science fair proved to be more successful than the first with entries from fifteen area schools. Certificates of entry were presented to each pupil who entered an exhibit. The exhibits were evaluated by the Junior Science Methods Class at C.T.C.

Participating schools were Castleton Village School; Tinmouth Grades School; Fair Haven Elementary and South Schools; Dyer and Center Rutland Schools; Rutland Town; Wells Graded School; Park Street, Lincoln, Dana, Northwest and Junior High Schools, Rutland; Benson Village School; and Sudbury Hill School.

Student teachers responsible for the development of the work exhibited were Robert Kanzler, Evelyn Berge, Nancy Herzog, Rita Morgan, Michael Russo, Jane Jennings, Knowlton Utley, Howard Saunders, Catherine Johnson, George Daley, Nan Fowler, William Ruby, Stephen Squeglia, Kathy Canney, Teresa Lanthier, Ferne Mills, Jon Emerson, Grace Baker, Rose Giroux, Marie Bell and Joan Cornell.

"Frosh Nite Club"

"Frosh Nite Club," a variety show with six acts, will be presented this evening in the Auditorium.

The "Frosh Starlets," a Charleston dance group with emphasis on the "shimmy," will feature Sandra Davenport of Chittenden, Marilyn Spencer of Rutland, Sarah Farnham of Chester, Lucille Boule of Tinmouth, Carol Wallin of Hinsdale, Mass., and Patricia Lake of Saxtons River.

Impersonations of Sophie Tucker by Jane Reynolds of Fair Haven and Grand Ol' Opry's Minnie Pearl by Marie Goodwin of Hubbardton, will follow a trumpet solo by Richard Sanders of Rutland.

Edward Fregosi of Proctor will team with Diane Grant of Jacksonville in a juggling act.

"Cigarette Girls," is the theme of the show's finale which will star Bonnie Thorburn of Quincy, Mass., Ellen Boutwell of Middlebury, Christine Bromley of Wells and Mary Kerr of White Plains, N. Y.

Master of ceremonies will be Roland Limege of Burlington.

The show's director, stage manager, prompter and set director is rolled into the person of Patricia Aguglia of Rochester, N. Y.